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NO CARGOES MOVED AT SEATTLE WHARVES

Way Is Cleared For Big Constitutional Test Next Monday

Dominion and Alberta Facts on Disallowance Filed in Supreme Court

Press Control Ultra Vires, Says Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP)—Facts of the Dominion and Alberta governments on the reference to the Supreme Court of Canada as to the validity of certain acts of the Alberta Legislature, the power of the Dominion Government to disallow Alberta legislation and the power of the Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta to withhold assent to bills passed by the Legislature were filed with the Supreme Court of Canada today.

Filing of the facts was a preliminary step to the actual hearing of the reference, which will open next Monday. The facts are summaries of the arguments to be addressed to the court and in them the two governments take directly opposite stands. Other facts are expected from counsel for the banks and for newspapers.

The Dominion Government takes the stand the power of the Governor-General-in-Council to disallow provincial legislation (Section 90 of B.N.A. Act) is unquestioned and subject to no limitation. The Alberta government holds the power has ceased to exist. The same cleavage of opinion prevails as to the power of the Lieutenant-Governor to withhold assent to bills.

VIEWS OF ACTS

The Dominion holds the three bills referred to the court, an act respecting the taxation of banks, an act to amend and consolidate the Credit of Alberta Regulation Act and an act "to ensure the publication of accurate news and information," are ultra vires of the provincial legislature. The Alberta government insists they are intra vires. Assent to these three measures was withheld by Lieutenant-Governor Bowen of Alberta.

Altogether 391 pages of printed matter were deposited with the court by the two governments as the basis for next week's argument.

NEW PRACTICE

The Alberta factum on disallowance and reservation of assent contends that, since power of the British Parliament to disallow (Turn to Page 2, Col. 4)

Typhoid Cases in Vancouver Now 16

VANCOUVER (CP)—With the discovery of two new cases of typhoid fever and with the discharge of a cured patient from hospital Tuesday night, the total number of people ill with the disease in Vancouver stood at 16 today.

Roosevelt Budget Reduces Outlays

For 1939 Fiscal Year U.S. Congress Asked to Cut Off \$539,000,000

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt sent to the United States Congress a budget message today which projected new billion-dollar treasury deficits and a new public debt peak despite estimates of lesser spending.

His forecast for the 1939 fiscal year contemplated a \$539,000,000 cut in government outlays—"the most important fact of this budget," Mr. Roosevelt said—but conditioned the reduction on an

PAPERS FIGHT ALBERTA BILL

Freedom of Press Fundamental, Supreme Court Will Be Told

OTTAWA (CP)—Freedom of the press is a fundamental right of democratic citizenship which must be uniform throughout Canada, according to one of the arguments submitted to the Supreme Court of Canada today in a factum on behalf of the Alberta newspapers for next week's reference on the validity of the Alberta press bill.

The factum, presented by Hon. J. L. Ralston, K.C., counsel for the Alberta daily and weekly newspapers, argues that "Act to Ensure the Publication of Accurate News and Information," passed at the recent session of the Alberta Legislature is unconstitutional and invades the Dominion Parliament's sphere of legislation. Assent to the measure was reserved by Lieutenant-Governor Bowen.

"Inherent rights expressed in such wide and general terms as 'personal liberty,' 'freedom of speech,' 'freedom of the press' and 'freedom of assembly,'" the factum states, "are all rights which, by the very conception of citizenship under the Confederation, must, it is submitted, be uniform throughout the Dominion and not capable of being so impaired by any one province as to degrade the quality of citizenship in that province as compared with the other provinces of Canada."

SOCIAL CREDIT

News was not a commodity. Its cultural and intellectual impact on national life was different from that of physical commodities. In forming opinions and directing their activities, citizens from Halifax to Vancouver were influenced by events in other provinces.

REBELS CLAIM TERUEL GAIN

HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontiers (AP)—The insurgent high command announced today its reinforced army had smashed forward more than a mile through heavy snowdrifts in a new drive designed to capture strategic Teruel, 135 miles east of Madrid, "within three days."

The main advance, in freezing cold, was along the Corda highway northwest of Teruel. Farther south the insurgents also reported important gains in the Villar sector, where two important positions were seized during the night.

turn in business and national defence requirements.

The President's big volume of budget figures estimated a net deficit of \$1,088,129,600 for the current fiscal year and \$949,606,000 for the next 12 months, which he noted would be successive declines. The public debt, he said, would reach a \$38,528,200,000 high on June 30, 1939.

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Agua Caliente Is Scene of Excitement



At last reports the luxurious Agua Caliente Hotel and Casino, one-time playground in Mexico for United States movie folk, was held by a determined army of former employees of the place who demanded "the right to work." Accompanied by their families, 400 peons took over the hotel this week and locked the gates behind them, barring police and officials of the Agua Caliente Company. The hotel was confiscated recently by the government, which said it would be used as part of an airport school. The hotel and Casino are at the left of the above picture. Back in 1929 some \$500,000 changed hands weekly over the gaming tables at the Casino. The racetrack is seen at the right.

Japan to Start Censorship Of Chinese News Cables

B.C. DIVORCES ON INCREASE

Courts Issued 15 Per Cent More Dissolutions in 1937, Records Show

Divorce courts of British Columbia had an exceptionally busy year in 1937. Figures compiled by the vital statistics branch of the provincial health department today showed an increase of 15.5 per cent in the number of decrees granted in the 12 months.

The official figures showed 521 marriages dissolved in 1937, compared with 451 in 1936. The courts granted divorce decrees at the rate of 10 per week as against 9 per week the previous year.

B.C. husbands are more often unfaithful than wives, the statistics indicate. Of the total, 343 decrees were granted wives and 178 to husbands, approximately a 2 to 1 ratio. This is the same as in 1936, when 299 wives sought decrees and 152 husbands.

There is no particular month when divorce actions predominate, although most decrees are granted in November and December. This, however, is due largely to the incidence of court work piling up after the summer holidays, it was explained.

Vessel on Fire Off Newfoundland

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP-Cable)—The United States steamship Black Osprey reported today she was heading for St. John's with fire in her No. 1 hold. The blaze was under control, the message said, and gave no further details.

MINERS MEET

CALGARY (CP)—One hundred miners from Alberta and British Columbia are attending the annual conference of District 18, United Mine Workers of America, which opened this morning. The conference will continue for four days.

No Salvage Fee For British Navy

LONDON (CP)—The Royal Navy cannot collect salvage fees. This is the interpretation placed on a judgment by the House of Lords, sitting as Court of Appeal. They dismissed an admiralty appeal for £11,000 (\$55,000) for standing by the flaming tanker Valverde and then towing her 900 miles to Bermuda.

Nipponese Announce All Government Functions Assumed in Invaded Areas

SHANGHAI (AP)—Japanese authorities Wednesday announced they had taken over all Chinese government functions in Shanghai and other territory occupied by Japanese armies.

A final step in Japan's drive for dominance was projected censorship of news dispatches. Japanese officials were said to have notified cable companies that Japanese censors were moving in to prevent leakage of military information to China.

Japanese armies continued bent on consolidating control of five rich north China provinces and the lower Yangtze River valley.

The rising sun flag was raised at Chiufu, birthplace of China's great sage, Confucius, by detachments advancing southward through Shantung province.

Chinese were withdrawing toward Suichow, vital railway junction in Kiangsu province, 180 miles north of Nanking. Chinese, however, kept up the swift-raiding tactics which General Chiang Kai-shek has declared are the mainspring of resistance.

From the Yangtze came Chinese reports that several planes of Mmc. Chiang's air force—now undergoing reorganization—had (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

William F. Salsbury, C.P.R. Pioneer, Passes

One of Oldest Railway Executives Dies in 91st Year

William Ferriman Salsbury who helped to build a transcontinental railway but spent his last years quietly in his garden at Gordon Head, died in the Jubilee Hospital today at the age of 91. Known as the Grand Old Man of the C.P.R., Mr. Salsbury passed away at 7.30 this morning after a lengthy illness.

Until quite recently—in fact un-

Bulgaria Is To Have Election

SOFIA, Bulgaria (AP)—King Boris today ordered a general election to be held March 6, 13, 20 and 27. This was considered a step toward restoration of the constitution which has been suspended since a coup d'etat May 20, 1934.

U.S. SUPREME JUSTICE QUILTS

George Sutherland to Retire From Court January 18, Roosevelt Informed

WASHINGTON (AP)—Justice George Sutherland of the United States Supreme Court today notified President Roosevelt he would retire from active service on that bench on January 18.

The retirement of Justice Sutherland will give President Roosevelt his second opportunity to make an appointment to the Supreme Court.

His first came when Justice Willis Van Devanter retired last spring. To succeed Justice Van Devanter Mr. Roosevelt named Senator Hugo L. Black of Alabama. Disclosure Black once had (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

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One of the oldest executives of the Canadian Pacific, he was also a pioneer of the province. Born in England he came to Canada 70 years ago. He was 52 years in the province, 20 years of which he spent on the island at his beautiful estate, "Hillcrest," Gordon Head.

It was the last 30 years of his life and his horticultural interests for which Victorians remember him best. He was a prominent figure at all flower shows and his exhibits won numerous awards here.

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Vienna Police Seize Manifesto

VIENNA, (CP-Havas)—Police today seized a manifesto calling on Austrian Nazis to stage demonstrations at monarchist ceremonies scheduled for next Tuesday.

Missing Woman Is Identified

Ruth Rubens, New York, Was in Moscow; "D. L. Robinson" Mystery Unsolved

MOSCOW (AP)—An American today identified a passport photograph of Ruth Marie Rubens of New York as that of the woman who gave her name as "Mrs. Donald L. Robinson" before she disappeared in Moscow early last month.

The person making the identification interviewed the woman at her Moscow hotel before she vanished December 9. "Mrs. Robinson" is now reported under arrest.

The identification was telegraphed to the State Department in Washington. The United States embassy is awaiting instructions from Washington before reopening its inquiries into the case at the Foreign Office, which thus far has refrained from giving American officials any information concerning the affair.

NOT IDENTIFIED

A photograph of Adolph Arnold Rubens could not be identified. The man who was known here as "Donald L. Robinson" and who disappeared December 2, never visited the United States embassy and was not seen by any Americans, as far as could be learned.

If Rubens is the man who posed as "Robinson" and was a (Turn to Page 2, Col. 7)

First Vancouver 1938 Traffic Death

VANCOUVER (CP)—Vancouver's first traffic fatality for 1938 was marked up today when Jerry Shannon, 72, died in a hospital from injuries suffered when he was knocked down by an automobile New Year's Eve.

The body was taken to the city morgue, where an inquest will be held.

Britain and Italy In Radio Truce

ROME (AP)—Following a conference between Foreign Minister Galeazzo Ciano and the Earl of Perth, British Ambassador, informed sources stated today both nations, in their broadcasts to the Arab world, would refrain from attacks on the other.

DEEP-SEA AND COAST SHIPS IDLE

Loading of Cargo at Puget Sound Port Ended at Noon Today; Transfer of Goods Directly From Vessel to Vessel or by Way of Wharf Is Cause of Difference Between Employers and Longshoremen

Seattle Service Not Interrupted

C.P.R. Boats to Carry Passengers But No Cargo; Black Ball Uninformed

Passenger service between Victoria and Seattle by the Princess ships of the Canadian Pacific's British Columbia Coast Service will not be interrupted by the waterfront tie-up in the Puget Sound city.

However, the C.P.R. boats will be unable to handle any cargo. Captain R. W. McMurray, manager of the service, said early this afternoon.

The local office of the Puget Sound Steam Navigation Company, operators of the Black Ball ferries, said they had received no advice from Seattle up to 2 this afternoon, but believed their daily service between Victoria and Seattle would not be interrupted.

Man Is Given Mental Tests

VANCOUVER (CP)—City police today held for mental examination a man who was alleged to have smashed the window in a British Columbia liquor store here Tuesday, taking a bottle from the showcase and then calmly commenced to drink its contents. A charge of maliciously damaging property was laid against the man pending mental examination.

Ontario Judge Passes Away

Mr. Justice A. C. Kingstone Dies While on Visit to Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP)—Hon. Arthur Courtenay Kingstone, a judge of the Ontario High Court of Justice, died of a heart attack here today. He was 62 years old.

Mr. Justice Kingstone, accompanied by Mrs. Kingstone, arrived in Vancouver several days ago to visit their son, Stewart Kingstone. Apparently in good health when he arrived, Mr. Justice Kingstone became ill Tuesday afternoon. He died in his hotel room.

The body will be taken to Toronto by Mrs. Kingstone and her son, leaving tonight.

Born in Toronto October 24, 1875, A. Courtenay Kingstone was educated at Upper Canada College and the University of Toronto. He was called to the bar in 1899. For some years he was city solicitor of St. Catharines, Ont.

BLASTS WRECK ONTARIO PLANT

Fire Follows Explosions at Fort William; Weather Hampers Firemen

FORT WILLIAM, Ont. (CP)—Freed by several violent explosions that shattered windows for blocks, fire partially destroyed the plant of the Northern Engineering and Supply Company here early today.

Firemen battled the blaze in bitter cold that touched 22 degrees below zero while excited tenants of adjacent blocks, hurrying to the streets in thin night attire, were given shelter in nearby hotels.

SEATTLE (AP)—A dispute between the Waterfront Employers' Association of Seattle and the International Longshoremen's Union halted all cargo activity on deep-sea, coastal and Alaska ships in Seattle's harbor at noon today.

M. G. Ringenberg, manager of the employers' group, said the union had not replied to his ultimatum of Tuesday night which declared no more longshoremen would be called to work ships until the union gave "satisfactory assurances of future compliance with our joint contract."

Employers have insisted cargo may be transferred from ship to ship in one slingload handling when this method is "necessary and convenient." The longshoremen demanded ships first transfer a cargo to a wharf before it is put in another ship. The latter methods requires two slingload handlings and employment of more men.

Each side accused the other of violating its agreement. Matt Meehan, coast secretary of the I.L.W.U., called the tieup "a sit-down strike on the part of the employers." He said the longshoremen's future action might be determined at meetings later today.

Longshoremen worked ships as usual this morning, but walked off at noon when notified of the order. There was no disturbance.

SEVEN FOR OFFSHORE

Closing of the port affected immediately seven deep-sea ships using about 500 men to handle cargo.

The vessels are the Norwegian motorship Moldanger of the Interocean Line, operating to Europe; the Dutch steamship Bengalis of the Silver-Java Pacific Line, operating to the Dutch East Indies; the American steamships Point San Pedro and Point San Pablo; the McCormick coastwise freighter Point Lobos of the Gulf-Pacific Line, operating to Gulf of Mexico ports; the Texmar of the Calmar Line, an intercoastal carrier; and the Mexican of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, an intercoastal carrier.

The Point San Pablo was posted to sail this afternoon. No ships were due today.

Ringenberg said other vessels would be affected as soon as they reached port.

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BAN ON CAMERAS

WASHINGTON (AP)—A bill to forbid the making of photographs, sketches and maps of military and naval defenses of the United States and its possessions received approval by the House of Representatives today. It went back to the Senate for action on minor amendments.

Destruction of the warehouse and a large stock of heavy hardware and plumbing supplies will bring the total loss to about \$150,000, it was announced.

BOILER EXPLOSION

Cause of the fire remained undetermined. It is presumed a steam boiler blew up, causing the first explosion. The series of blasts that followed probably originated among acetylene tanks stored in the warehouse, said the owners.

Within a few hundred feet of the plant at the time of the first blast was James Croll, janitor, proceeding to work shortly before 5 o'clock.

SEE THE PLUME SHOP'S ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE LIQUID- ATING OF THEIR WINTER STOCK ON PAGE 7 THE PLUME SHOP LIMITED

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Censorship Seen In Two Provinces

Dean of Columbia University
Lists Alberta and Quebec
As Controlling Press

NEW YORK (CP)—In a chart supplementing a report on freedom of the press, prepared by Dean Carl W. Ackerman of Columbia University, two Canadian provinces—Quebec and Alberta—are shown in grey, "denoting various degrees of control, censorship and intimidation."

The Alberta Legislature passed last fall a newspaper regulation bill. Assent to the legislation was withheld and it was referred to the Supreme Court of Canada by the Dominion Government.

Quebec police recently raided the Montreal weekly newspaper *Clarke* under the "padlock law" passed at the legislative session, empowered them to lock buildings to prevent dissemination of Communist propaganda.

VANCOUVER MAN IN CHINA
SHANGHAI (AP)—L. K. Brown of Vancouver, the first foreigner to come here from Hangchow after witnessing the Japanese occupation of that city, 150 miles southwest of Shanghai, arrived safely Wednesday.

A journal devoted entirely to airships has appeared in London.

LEGAL ADVICE FOR NEEDY

Law Society of Manitoba
Tests New Free Scheme
in Winnipeg

WINNIPEG (CP)—Persons unable to pay for legal advice will be assisted by a new social service to be set up in Winnipeg and to be known as the Needy Persons Advising Centre.

R. B. MacInnes of the Law Society of Manitoba, announcing Tuesday the new service would be sponsored by the society, said it would be carried on for a year in the Winnipeg judicial area, after which decision would be made as to whether the service should branch into all the judicial districts of Manitoba.

Mr. MacInnes said a committee of four young lawyers had been appointed by the society to hear inquiries from those unable to pay for legal advice. This committee would meet regularly in the law courts, where consultations would take place without fee payments.

If the certificate-issuing committee should consider a case within its jurisdiction pointed to a possible successful verdict, the recommendation would be passed on to the general chairman, who would supervise the operations of the entire agency.

Cases outside the scope of the service would include slander, small debts, cases against the debt adjustment board or any other such boards, and appeals to the Court of Appeal, unless the committee should decide there had been a miscarriage of justice and consider an appeal justified.

The agency would not touch criminal cases, it was stated, as the government supplies a lawyer, when the plaintiff or accused is without means.

Anniversary Of Wolfe Honored Event at Westerham, Kent, England, in Memory of Hero of Quebec

WESTERHAM, Kent (CP)—The campaign which resulted in the taking of Quebec by British arms was described by Admiral Sir Harry Domville Tuesday as one of the most successful examples of combined operations by the army and navy.

Sir Barry was guest of honor at the 211th anniversary of the birth of General James Wolfe at Westerham. Captain J. R. O. Warde, a descendant of General Warde, one of Wolfe's colleagues, presided over the company, which included two members of Wolfe's family and representatives of 10 regiments with which Wolfe was associated, of the British navy, and of Canada.

Colonel C. E. Ponsonby, proposing a toast to the Dominion, said Canada's motto should be determination—"the determination of the pioneer to get where he meant to get and of the settler to stay there once he got there."

Responding, J. C. Patteson, European manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, said Canada was proud of her position in the British Commonwealth of Nations. All Canadians, he declared, wished to keep Canada predominantly British and some day they hoped to see another influx of people with the same qualities as the early pioneers.

A toast to the "pious and immortal memory of Wolfe" was honored in silence.

Ewart Library Is Given Manitoba

WINNIPEG (CP)—Attorney-General W. J. Major of Manitoba announced Tuesday the library of the late John S. Ewart, K.C., had been donated to the Manitoba government.

Mr. Major described the gift as one of the most important to any Canadian library. It was made by T. S. Ewart of Ottawa as a memorial to his father, who died in 1933, and consists of 6,000 items of books, pamphlets, documents and typescript material dealing pre-eminently with historical and constitutional matters.

Rifle Trophy Is Won at Hamilton

HAMILTON, Ont. (CP)—Word was received from the Department of National Defence Tuesday that Hamilton Central Collegiate Marksmen won the coveted Earl Roberts Trophy and bronze medals. The team is the first in Canada to win the trophy contest, a contest open to the whole Empire.

The collegiate marksmen had a score of 301 in the 1937 competition. The record is 303. Had one member of the team not missed the target completely a new record would have been set.

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Freedom of the Press

THE BLACK PLAGUE OF THE 20TH Century is what Dean Carl W. Ackerman, chief director of the Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism, calls the dictatorial control of the press of many countries. In a pamphlet he has just published he observes that "It is significant that no nation where the press is free from governmental control is today directly involved in the war in Spain or in China."

To illustrate "the world-wide epidemic of governmental domination of individual and institutional liberties" Dean Ackerman has compiled a map showing the chief offending nations, those enjoying freedom of thought and action, and those parts of the world he evidently thinks ought to be watched.

Under the government-controlled class are listed Russia, China, Japan, Spain, Iran, Arabia, Ethiopia, Iraq, Palestine, Syria, Turkey, Egypt, Libya, Bulgaria, Roumania, Yugoslavia, Italy, Poland, Germany, Austria, Hungary, Spain, Greece, Albania, Portugal, Morocco, five African countries, Brazil and Guatemala. Classified as free from governmental interference are the following: The British Commonwealth, the United States, Switzerland, Holland, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Argentine.

But Dean Ackerman has paid some attention to two Canadian provinces. He has introduced into his pamphlet a general report and a chart, and in the latter he alludes to Quebec and Alberta wherein is noted "various degrees of control, censorship, and intimidation."

As far as the press of Quebec is concerned, the influence of the government of Premier Duplessis may be a growing factor in the freedom, or otherwise, of the printed word in that province, but in no part of Canada, as Dean Ackerman may be assured, will the press bow to the will of any government. Meanwhile, The Winnipeg Tribune has called Premier Duplessis "Duce Duplessis." A subtle reference of this kind in British countries usually penetrates the most obstinate mind. Abernethy in Alberta, of course, is merely a passing phase no matter what form it may take.

A Fine Canadian Passes

FROM MANY PARTS OF THE BRITISH Empire have come tributes to the memory of Sir George Perley. They are tributes to a fine Canadian, who passed to the Great Beyond yesterday at the age of 80. His death naturally came as a great shock to those who had chatted with him—who had heard him jokingly claim the honor of being the oldest guest—at the Governor-General's levee on New Year's Day.

Sir George Perley was 10 years old at the birth of Canadian Confederation and he was a Conservative member of the House of Commons for nearly 30 years. He was Sir Robert Borden's chief lieutenant in the epochal general election in 1911, was acting Prime Minister during the absence of his leader in pre-war days, and again during Mr. Bennett's absences in 1930-1935. For five years, from 1917 to 1922, he filled the important post of High Commissioner for Canada in London and for the brief period of the Meighen administration in 1926 he discharged the duties of Secretary of State. His passing, incidentally, creates a vacancy in the Dominion House for the constituency of Argenteuil, Quebec.

It will always be said of Sir George Perley that he adhered to his political beliefs through thick and thin. But he never permitted his partisanship to stand in the way of adjustment of policy once he had been convinced that that policy was for the good of Canada. This newspaper often disagreed with his views on public questions; but it never doubted his sincerity of purpose. It was this trait in his mental outlook which won for him a host of friends throughout the length and breadth of Canada and farther afield. His concept of Canadianism was of a type that might well be emulated by the rising generation.

After the Bayonets

CHINA IS NOW TO BE FAVORED WITH formation of the Hsin Min Hui, or New Citizens' Society. It is Japan's answer to the anti-Japanese feeling that seems to be spreading, somehow, through those parts of China not already occupied by Japanese troops.

There has been an anti-Japanese feeling in China for some time. It probably began back when the Japanese seized Korea. The grabbing of Kiao-chow during the World War and the attempt to get Shantung probably did not help. Then, back in 1932, there was a little slaughtering around Shanghai, and a little grabbing in Manchuria, which seemed to annoy a little more those unreasonable Chinese.

Now that Japanese troops occupy most of North China, and have reduced Shanghai and Nanking to a shambles, further anti-Japanese feeling is found. It is strange, but there it is. So the Hsin Min Hui society is going to propagandize against it. After the bayonets, in other words, comes the "baloney."

Death Toll Mounts

WHEN FINAL FIGURES HAVE BEEN compiled it is expected that the number of persons killed on the highways of British Columbia in 1937 will total at least 120—or about 20 more than in the preceding year.

As there were 10 per cent more cars licensed in 1937 than in 1936, the increase in deaths was not unexpected, and it is nothing short of marvelous that the total was not greater in view of the fact that there seem to be bigger and speedier cars on the roads of the province than ever before.

The annual death and accident toll is nevertheless higher than it ought to be. It is all very well to try to place the blame on regulations governing the operation of automobiles or laxity in the enforcement of the law.

In most instances the blame rests squarely on the driver of the car and not infrequently on the pedestrian. Nobody can legislate against the unavoidable accident or human frailty in cases of emergency.

If the death and accident toll is to be reduced there will have to be more co-operation between those who drive cars—whose rights and obligations are clearly defined by law—and those, whose especial rights are equally clearly defined, who travel the streets and highways on foot.

Regular Offenders

WITH A REGULARITY THAT IS becoming monotonous, six or seven names appear on the police blotter every month or so and always on the same charge, drunkenness. One or two of the unfortunate repeatedly in the clutches of the police, seem to spend half their lives traveling between Victoria and Oakalla. A check-up of police records would probably show that one of the men at least has spent more time in jail than out of it for the last 12 years, and it is the same offence every time that has caused him to lose his freedom for spells of from two to six months.

Repeated sentences in such cases can only prove they have utterly failed either from the standpoint of punishment or reformation. Thus the force should no longer be continued of sending a man to jail month after month as guest of the state during which time his dependents become a charge on the city. The cost is heavy on the taxpayers.

For its own protection the state should give greater consideration to such cases. Obviously a cure, more than punishment, is needed. Medical science might be brought to bear far more effectively than the services of a police magistrate, not only for humanitarian reasons but for economic reasons. The expenditure of the province and the city on these offenders while they are in jail, and in supporting their families in some instances, must equal the year's salary of a fairly high civil official who gives 12 months' service for the pay he receives.

Prosperity Under Il Duce

SOME OF THE BLESSINGS OF Fascism as being experienced by the Italian people under Mussolini have been detailed by Professor Carl Schmidt of the Economics Department of Columbia University, who has just returned from eight months' study of conditions in Italy.

From the interview embodying his conclusions he gave upon his return to La Stampa Libera, New York Italian daily newspaper, we quote:

"... Growing poverty among the entire working population and conditions close to serfdom. Real wages have been forced down to miserable subsistence levels, the uncertainty of employment has increased seriously. ... Since 1930 both the quantity and quality of food available per capita have fallen appreciably. ... The Battle of Wheat and the land reclamation programme, perhaps the most widely publicized economic undertaking of Fascism, serve predominantly the propertied classes. ... average wheat consumption is now lower than immediately before the World War. ... The Fascist era has seen the decline of small peasant proprietorships. ... Among the great masses of workers, peasants and small proprietors, there is grumbling and criticism, resentment against their continually declining incomes."

Notes

Bicycle sales in 1937 were the highest in history. Are those "horse and buggy" days really coming back?

Certain South American countries are still looking for a war plane tuned up to make an indefinite number of revolutions a minute.

We wonder how much of Charles Vance Millar's \$500,000 will be left for the "stork Derby" contestants after the lawyers get through with a few more appeals.

Scientists at their annual convention this week learned that the "teen-age driver" is most deadly. Yes, and particularly when he is combined with the "teen-age drinker."

ADVANTAGES DECLINING

From Ladysmith Chronicle

Whatever the advantages of the Ottawa Agreements on Imperial preference, world conditions make it impossible to maintain static relations in the face of exterior change. If there are advantages in preferential markets, we cannot logically assume that an extension of the principle will react in inverse ratio to its growth. If, on the other hand, special briefs must be reckoned with, the delay may prove that the advantages of the Ottawa Agreements are already declining because of an inherent tendency to smother the market that favors them.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

WAR

ENTOMOLOGISTS of the provincial government are busy these days raising a strange family. They are raising thousands of parasites which will crawl upon the backs of unhappy earwigs and proceed to eat them all hollow. About 75,000 parasites will be released this year to prey on the earwigs and the results will be too grim to think about.

But while you are sitting peacefully in your garden next spring just spare a thought to the bloody war that is proceeding a few inches below the earth at your feet. Just think of those voracious parasites eating up your earwigs, breeding more and more parasites until, some day, the entire race of earwigs will be wiped out.

This may gratify you as a gardener, even if the entomologists' horrid plan appals you as a man. But don't imagine that you can escape the insect world so easily. A fellow has just written a book in the United States to show that there are some 2,000,000 insects flying in the air over every square mile of this continent and about the same number under the ground, all working away and living their lives without worrying about us in the least. What is more interesting, they will be here long after our species has disappeared. When the earth cools, which won't be long now in astronomical time, the insects will be able to stand it for several million years after we have been blotted out. So in the end the parasites and the earwigs are going to have the laugh on us.

NEW MACHINE

IN NEW YORK they have invented a marvelous new system by which a poor man can go to Florida, or the Mediterranean, or the Alps, for a dollar. They are going to build a huge swimming pool, surrounded by palm trees, with large artificial sand beaches and plenty of artificial sun shining all day, and you can go in there and bask by the hour, imagining you are at Palm Beach. Or you can roll in artificial snow in artificial zero temperature and imagine you are in the Alps. In a few years every modern city will be able to offer half a dozen interesting climates besides its own.

There is grave danger here for our Vancouver Island tourist industry. First thing you know, Los Angeles will have an artificial Vancouver Island, equipped with our gentle sun and light rain, our big Douglas fir trees, probably a salmon or two, a policeman wearing our curious local helmets, or even a Mountie, a typical Victorian in tweeds and flannel pants and, as a final touch of authenticity, to reveal our true character, a round Pandora box in the background. Then what Los Angeles native will come here when he can get everything we offer for a dollar at home?

Don't imagine that the American populace won't take to the new invention. This is precisely what it has been waiting for all these years to complete the logic of the machine age. Already America gets its ideas of love, marriage, the home and everything else of importance through a moving picture machine. It gets its contact with nature in an automobile. It presses a button and another machine, called a radio delivers its music and its entire intellectual food.

Already the machine is living most of our lives for us until, when television and a few more inventions are perfected, the world will get along quite well without any people at all, the machines doing a much more efficient job than we can. There is no reason, therefore, why people shouldn't travel by machinery, why they shouldn't accept an artificial synthetic substitute here where they have already accepted artificial synthetic love, artificial synthetic music, and artificial, synthetic life elsewhere. If we want to save our tourist business, we had better build an artificial, synthetic Los Angeles to keep our own people at home—complete with blazing sun, hot dog stands, bathing beauties and a few broken-down movie stars. Then, perhaps, we can keep our own people at home.

FACTS

DID IT EVER OCCUR to you how much free information is offered you every day by way of the lecture platform, the movies, the radio and the printed word? I was just looking over the titles of the chief lectures to be delivered in America this winter and I see that you can learn anything from fascism to the art of making and keeping friends. In any medium-sized city, including this one, you can take courses in military or hammered brass work or the poetry of Shelley, and many people do.

The other day, the late Newton D. Baker, appealed at the table manners of college graduates, got a course in "The Technique of Social and Business Intercourse" established at Cleveland College. So American education is even willing to teach you how to hold your knife and fork.

All day, as the radio blares and the presses roll, the average inhabitant of North America acquires such a mass of information as Aristotle could not collect in a lifetime of study and research. Just think how much the average person knows nowadays. He knows all about the business situation, the stock market, the hockey scores, the House of Commons, the United States Congress, what Hitler is doing, what the Japanese are doing, what lady Mr. Gable is taking out to dinner and how many fan letters Mr. Taylor got last week.

Never in history have people known so much. Why, the ordinary working man today knows ten times as much as Shakespeare. You are more knowledgeable than Bacon. You can't help it. The facts are rammed down your gullet all day and every day, so that even an ignorant person, like you or me, is, in fact, highly educated.

But, as President Hutchins of the University of Chicago writes in The Saturday Evening Post, we are getting no brighter. The reason is that while we know, we can't think, and that is a very different matter. Most of us have never had an idea in our lives. I haven't and I get along all right so long as the machines keep working.

Near Film War Prelude to U.S.-British Trade Treaty Talks

LONDON.

SHEDDING a greyish pallor over the stage so rosiely-lit by government publicity men announcing the decision to agree to commence Anglo-American Trade Pact talks, comes the news—so far withheld from the British public—of what amounts to an American ultimatum on the subject of the Film Bill in particular and the Anglo-American trade talks in general.

It is a note from Washington which, according to The Week, states more or less politely but quite definitely, that unless certain guarantees on the subject of the operation of the Film Bill are received by the American government, the American film industry will go into action in a manner which apart from its effects on the international film situation, will upset the entire apple-cart of the projected trade talks.

It has been in the possession of the government since before the committee stage of the Film Bill.

The arrival in London of this communication has made history in the sense that it is probably the first occasion on which the power of the film industry—and a threat to use it to the full in the pursuit of politico-economic aims have been officially brandished by one government in the face of another.

It is a situation which has been foreseen in every political discussion of the film business. Now it has happened.

Possibly because of the painfully vivid light thrown thereby upon the realities of the situation, the British government has not yet seen fit to divulge to the general public the existence and contents of a document which is in reality of very considerable importance both in its immediate bearing upon the film industry and in its disclosure of the facts of Anglo-American trade politics.

THE BAIT

Since the bare idea of Anglo-American trade agreement is extremely popular with the mass of the people of the country—as distinct from the bitterly anti-American sectional interests involved and powerfully represented in and around the national government—the notion that the government has brought us well on the way towards such an agreement (without tears) was quickly seen by astute Conservative strategists as a useful thing to spread about among the populace.

The difficulties involved—given the present organization of British industry and the powers therein entrenched—were, it was and is hoped, susceptible of being wrapped in an optimistic haze until—possibly—shortly after the closing of the polls on the next election day.

Unfortunately the difficulties have already obtruded themselves as unmistakably as the sharp end of a tin-tack, in the form of this remarkable communication from the American government which has in fact played the major role behind the scenes during the discussion of the Film Bill in the House of Commons.

Believing the Film Bill would do virtually no good to the British industry and no harm to the American, the Americans were at first amiably unconcerned.

Then rising agitation in Britain for extension of the protective measures in the bill and for the writing into the bill of provisions permitting extension of such measures in case of need, brought sudden activity from Hollywood and Washington.

THE WARNING

Through the ordinary diplomatic channels a startled British government was informed that although the bill in its original and indeed its present form was satisfactory enough, any "monkeying" with it before it passed into law would result in the American industry going to the mat on the issue, with no holds barred: Hollywood would mobilize its vast resources, "shorts" of a kind very damaging to the British case would be included in American "film" programmes: a threat used several years ago effectively against the French government to withhold all American films from—in this case—the British cinemas, was repeated: with the firm warning that these and other measures would be highly detrimental to British chances of a favorable trade pact—that, in other words, you can't buck a united Hollywood and get away with it—the issue was left up to the British government.

MYSTERY EXPLAINED

The British capitulated immediately. The undisclosed intervention from Washington is the real explanation of the mystery of the government's about-face on the question of providing in the bill for an advisory commission with really practical powers to alter "protective"

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Breasts	Veal Steaks, lb., 15c	Shoulders
Veal, lb., 8c	Mutton, lb., 10c	
Pork Steaks, lb., 16c	Loin Pork Chops, lb., 20c	Pork Kidneys, lb., 10c
Shoulder Steak, lb., 10c	Minced Steak, lb., 10c	Steak, Kidney, lb., 10c
Pork Liver, lb., 8c	Butts Pork, lb., 16c	Mutton Chops, lb., 14c

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Steaks: Round, lb., 22c; T-bone, lb., 22c; Sirloin, lb., 26c

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Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "What do you gentlemen think about this plan?"
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "giraffe"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Primeval, privilege, protein, provost.
4. What does the word "complaisant" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with prep that means "contrary to common sense"?

Answers

1. Say, "What do you men think about this plan?" 2. Pronounce ji-ra-f, i as in it unstressed, a as in ask, accent last syllable.
3. Privilege. 4. Desirous to please; courteous; obliging. "He is a complaisant gentleman." 5. Preposterous.

SINCE BOXER REBELLION

"Twentieth Century in the Far East," by Percy Kent, now at the Victoria Public Library, is a history of eastern Asia since the abolition of the opium trade and the abolition of the opium trade and the abolition of the opium trade.

Boxer Rebellion. Mr. Kent carries his story down through the Sian coup which started the world in December, 1936. He has written an interesting and informative book which gives the general reader a tolerably clear guide through the mazes of Chinese history and internal politics during the last four decades.

Parallel Thoughts

These are the statutes and judgments and laws, which the Lord made between him and the children of Israel in Mount Sinai by the hand of Moses.—Leviticus 26:46.

The people's safety is the law of God.—James Otis.

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—Needlework, First Floor

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—Silks, Main Floor



Social and Club Interests

Gave Dance At Yacht Club

Major and Mrs. A. H. Jukes and Capt. and Mrs. R. W. Murray entertained jointly for their daughters, Rachel and Betty, at a dance last evening at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club. The invited guests were:

Misses Elizabeth Angus, Ivy Brown, Anna Byrom, June Byrom, Gladwyn Beasley, Patricia Boyd, Betty Burns, Barbara Bate, Laura Bapty, Josephine Brown, Diana Cobbett, Patricia Craig, Eileen Carter, Dorothy Campbell, Dorothy Cook, Grace Cook, Betty Carr, Mary Drury, Audrey Eberts, Joan Forrest, Patricia Fitzpatrick, Rosemary Farrow, Ursula Forbes, Thelma Fletcher, Barbara Garrard, Felicity Grant, Rosanna Gillespie, Ruth Horton, Valentine Harlock, Susan Hercher, Jane Holland, Betty Holmes, Molly Horsfield, Effie Hughes, Claudia Jesse.

Misses Miriam Jull, Susan Jones, Pam Jones, Margaret Jukes, Yvonne Jukes, Diana Ker, Daphne Ker, Esme Ketchen, Enid Long, Hazel Learmonth, Elin Munroe, Denise Mara, Pam Mitchell, Miriam McCaffrey, Diana MacDowell, Jean Mayhew, Kathleen MacDonal, Nellie MacFarlane, Joy Nixon, Daphne Nunn, Adine Oland, Sylvia Piddington, Vera Smith, Mary Stephens, Connie Stephens, Margaret Sutcliffe, Buntie Sloan, Stella Sery, Jacqueline Tweed, Muriel Uthoff, Gladys Van Eck, Gwen Wright, Patsy Watson, Priscilla Wright, Gloria Wilson, Mary Worsley, Caro Wyllie, Barbara Wells, Josephine Wilson, Sheila Williams, Helen Woodcroft, Verna Yarrow.

Messrs. David Angus, Ian Angus, Joe Adam, Ian Acland, Teddy Blenkinsop, John Boak, Sandro Bullock-Webster, Norman Beard, David Boyd, Tommy Bassett, William Brown, Pat Bate, Kenneth Cook, Peter Coste, Earnest Chadwick, Harry Clark, David Colthurst, Monty Drake, Alastair Denbigh, Peter Denbigh, Bill Drury, Wallace Earle, John Earle, Victor Eaton, Jimmy Eberts, Peter Forrest, Jack Grogan, Alexander Gunning.

Messrs. Francis Gregory, Dick Gregory, Alastair Gillespie, Ian Gillespie, Sandy Hunter, Barrie Hammond, Dennis Harris, Roddy Hood, John Holland, Desmond Holmes, Geoffrey Hotham, Peter Hinks, Arthur Izard, Pat Izard, Jack Ireland, Clifton Jameson, Peter Jones, Arthur Jukes, Andrew Jukes, Angus Kenning, Collins Ketcham, Don King, Stewart McNeil, Hugh MacDonal, John MacDonal.

Messrs. Philip Musgrave, Jimmy McArthur, Vernon Miller, John Martin, John Meredith, Ramsay Milne, Ian MacDonal, Alastair MacDonal, Ian McPheron, Christopher Norman, John Nation, George Nixon, David Oldam, John Ogilvie, Bud Pangman, Pat Patterson, David Pownall, George Pownall, Reginald Parris, Colin Peter Rutherford, Struan Robertson, Ian Ross, Bill Ridewood, Colin Stewart, John Smith, Douglas Sutcliffe, Kenny Scharff, Michael Symons, Ian Sutherland, Brown, Bill Tysse, Sandy Thompson, Kenneth Thompson, Gordon Verley, Bill Van Housen, Nicholas Welby, Derek Wilby, Mark Wilby, Freddie Winslow, Thomas Wood, Ralph Worsley, Derek Woodcroft, Charles Wilson.

St. Alban's Held Annual Treat

St. Alban's Sunday school held its annual Christmas treat on Friday last in the church hall. Nearly 100 children were present and enjoyed a sit-down supper, followed by community singing and lantern slides. Later in the evening the children were given Christmas stockings, candy and oranges. The teachers thanked Mrs. Andrews for so ably convening the affair and also the ladies of the church who assisted her in preparing the supper.

Scholarship For Boy Violinist

EDMONTON (CP) — Egon Grapentin, 17-year-old Edmonton violinist who has won every musical festival competition he ever entered, has been awarded the first scholarship to be given by the Edmonton Civic Opera Society.

The award, valued at \$300, was presented last night by Mayor G. W. Fry. Egon has studied one year with Yasha Simkin, famous Philadelphia violinist and teacher, who in turn studied with Franz Kneisel.

Now What's That?



—Photo by Savannah.

This bonny little chap with the inquiring look is David Hugh Ridout, eight-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ridout, of 921 Darwin Road, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ridout, 533 Oswego Street, and of Mr. W. G. Lemm, 130 Howe Street.

Society

Mrs. D. N. McIntyre and Miss Kathleen McIntyre have returned to the city after spending a holiday in southern California.

Mrs. H. A. Patterson, Metropolitan Hotel, went over to Vancouver this afternoon to spend a couple of months.

Master Peter Simpson of Vancouver has returned home after visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Shirley Simpson, Niagara Street.

Mrs. G. H. Kingham, who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Cloutier in Vancouver, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Monahan, formerly Miss Barney Davidson, who have been honeymooning in Washington State, have returned to Victoria and are resident on Superior Street.

Miss Barbara Winslow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Winslow of Victoria, who is a student at McGill University, spent her Christmas vacation in Montreal as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Winslow-Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. M. Rolston, Menzies Street, have returned home after spending the Christmas and New Year in Vancouver with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lort.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Port Alberni have returned to their home up the island after visiting Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Renwick, The Gorge.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Ebert, Harbinger Avenue, entertained on New Year's Eve at a birthday party in honor of their house guest, Mrs. Allan J. Slater of Port Alberni. Bridge was played during the evening, the prize winners being Mrs. A. Middleton, Mr. F. A. Waller, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stout. Supper was served at midnight from the dining table, prettily decorated in seasonal colors and centred with the birthday cake. Those present were Mrs. J. Harrington, Mrs. W. G. Richardson, Miss Jean Eberts, Mr. and Mrs. O. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Standish, Mr. and Mrs. A. Middleton and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Waller.

"Brandon House," the Gorge, the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Renwick was the scene of a delightful New Year's Eve party when they entertained a number of friends at a dance. Christmas decorations were used in the reception rooms and at midnight favors were showered from balloons. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Peter Balagno, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Port Alberni, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cameron-Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simpson, Mr. James Carmichael, Miss L. Taylor, Miss J. Barnes, Miss Maud Renwick, Mr. Hilroy Straight, Mr. Roy Biggs and Mr. and Mrs. R. Anderson.

Miss Kathleen Holland of Vancouver returned home after spending the New Year's holidays in Victoria as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bate, Carberry Gardens.

Plans are being formed by the Victoria Rugby Union for a dance on January 22 in aid of the Injured Players' Fund. The event will be held in conjunction with the University of British Columbia invasion, when rugby, basketball and track teams will visit the city.

Mrs. George Cruickshanks and Mrs. H. Mayor were Victoria guests at the wedding at Christ Church Cathedral, Vancouver, on Monday evening of Miss Jessie White and Capt. Edward J. Johnson. The reception after the ceremony was held at the Hotel Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davies, Lincoln Road, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Eunice Davies, and by Mrs. Archie Byatt, left yesterday to spend the next few months in southern California and Mexico, and expect to return to Victoria at the beginning of April.

Mrs. Stewart Turkington of Vancouver and her daughter, Miss June Turkington, will arrive tomorrow on a short visit to Mrs. Turkington's aunt, Lady Barnard. Miss Turkington will attend the dance to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Lytton Mara Friday evening for their daughter, Miss Denise Mara.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Goldring, Beresford Place, will sail on the Ms. Canada, Asiatic line, on January 14 for Jamaica, via the Panama Canal. From the West Indies they will proceed to England and the Continent and expect to be absent for some months. Their daughters, the Misses Marlie and Priscilla Wright, will remain here during their absence abroad.

WOMAN TRAFFER
PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—Arizona women have cracked another field heretofore man's own trapping.

Mrs. Nellie Moore, Aguila, Ariz., reported to the state game warden she caught 40 coyotes, 18 lynx, 19 grey fox, two badger and four foxes in November and December.

The Local Council of Women will hold its first meeting of the year on Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the Y.W.C.A. Routine business will be transacted, and Miss Helen Kirkwood, general secretary of the "Y" will speak on the Students' Federation Council, which she attended in Winnipeg recently.

First of the animated cartoons made from a comic strip was by Windsor McCay. Audiences doubted that the pictures were hand-drawn, so McCay produced "Gertie the Beautiful Dinosaur" and toured the nation with it, lecturing.

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Royal Oak

St. Michael's Women's Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. G. Foot, West Saanich Road. Miss K. Oldfield presided. Reports were given by Mrs. Feet, Mrs. M. Young and Mrs. K. Mead-Robins. An address on "The Prayer Book" was given by J. G. Foot. The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Wood, Wilkinson Road.

Over 200 attended the old-time dance held in the Community

Hall Friday under the auspices of the Royal Oak Women's Institute. The fortnightly 500 card party will be held in the Community of the Royal Oak Women's Institute January 6 at 8.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Aged Women's Home Committee was held at the home yesterday afternoon, the president, Mrs. W. L. Clay, in the chair. Members present were Mrs. W. Grant, Mrs. F. W. Vincent, Mrs. E. Heddle, Mrs. Harold Scott, Mrs. G. A. Lister, Mrs. D. Scott,

Mrs. E. Bean, Miss E. O'Brien, and the secretary, Mrs. A. D. Whittier.

The ordinary routine business was attended to and all accounts for the month ordered paid. The secretary reported that the new wing was approaching completion and plans were discussed for the furnishings, which will soon have to be considered.

The matron reported that all in the home had a very happy Christmas, thanks to many kind friends, and the committee did all in their power to render it as joyous a time as possible. All through the home the decorations were carried out in a lavish manner with flowers and holly and Christmas trees.

The committee for the month will be Miss O'Brien, Mrs. W. Grant and Mrs. E. Heddle.

Owing to the amount of business to be considered a special meeting will be held on Friday afternoon at 2.30.

Among the many friends who added to the pleasure of the inmates were the Brownies of St. Margaret's School, who sang carols and distributed candies; the Pentecostal Assembly group, who gave a concert and served refreshments, and the Emmanuel Baptist choir, who sang carols on Christmas Eve.

Cantata At St. Matthias Friday

On Friday evening at 8 a concert of unusual interest will be held in St. Matthias Parish Hall, Foul Bay, the main feature of which will be a cantata, "Artaban, the Fourth Wise Man," composed by E. Vernon Edwards. The text is arranged from Henry Van Dyke's story. The work will be rendered by the Gonzales Junior Choralists, accompanied by a string ensemble under the baton of the composer. This work has been presented in this city and has received very favorable response. Also on the same programme assisting artists will include Mrs. Olive Batchelor, Mrs. S. Swetnam, Messrs. Arthur Jackman, Maurice Thomas and Leslie Clark and Miss Brenda Woodward.

All proceeds of the concert will go to the church hall fund.

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Roast Pork, 1/2 lb.	25c
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Sweet Mixed Pickles, pint.	23c
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FISH DEPT.

DRESSED SOLES	2 lb. 25c
FRESH FISH	2 lb. 25c
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Labor Women Discuss Bills

British Committee Object Strongly To "Nosey Parkerism"

LONDON—Many controversial topics of the day were discussed at the annual conference of the Women's Advisory Committee of the London Labor Party recently—the war in Spain, the Population Statistics Bill (popularly known as the "Nosey Parker" Bill), and the government's physical fitness campaign.

The president, Miss Grace Coleman, said that Labor found it difficult to be optimistic today. "It seems," she explained, "that the aggressive nations of the world have learned very well the lesson we have been teaching them since 1921—that aggression pays."

"People in this country are becoming war-minded," was her conclusion.

"NOSEY PARKER" BILL

The delegates by a large majority voted in favor of a resolution calling upon the Parliamentary Labor Party to oppose vigorously the Population Statistics Bill, which will enable the government to put questionnaires to every woman about the size of her family and other intimate details.

The conference was of the opinion, the resolution stated, that no useful purpose could be served by questions of an intimate nature which would require mothers under penalty to divulge the most secret and private matters relating to family life. It was also felt that any necessary statistics could be obtained by other methods.

One speaker, seconding the resolution, said that there was already enough prying into the private affairs of the workers. "We do not want any more 'Nosey Parkers' coming into our homes," she said emphatically. "Already in certain hospitals in London, before a woman is admitted for her confinement, she is required to show her marriage license."

In the matter of the government's campaign to encourage the wider use of the national health services, the meeting was of the opinion that this would do nothing to raise the general standard of nutrition, which was the basis of the nation's health, while the rapid rise in the cost of living, for which the government policy was largely responsible, was increasing the already serious amount of under-feeding.

News of Clubwomen

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

1. Is it customary for a man to present his wife with a gift upon the birth of a child?
2. Is it good manners for outsiders to suggest names for a new baby?
3. Is it good taste to give a ring as a baby gift?
4. Is it all right for a mother to take a child with her when she has been invited to a woman's party?
5. In most Protestant churches, is it correct for a baby to have a godmother and godfather at its christening?

What would you do if—
You are choosing a christening dress for your child?
Should it be—(a) All white?
(b) White with blue accessories for a boy and pink for a girl? (c) White with pink accessories for a boy and blue for a girl?

Answers
1. If he can afford it. In that case, it is usually jewelry.
2. No.
3. No.
4. Not unless hostess specifically invites the child.
5. Although not customary, except in Catholic and Episcopal churches, most ministers will arrange ceremony if it is desired.

Best "What Would You Do?" solution—(a), although (b) is customary for anything but a christening.

E. M. KIMBALL DIES

HOLLYWOOD, Cal. (AP)—Edward M. Kimball, 78, veteran stage and screen actor and father of Clara Kimball Young of the old silent screen days, died in a hospital here Tuesday.

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Nominations of officers for the coming year were made.

Daughters of St. George Victoria Lodge 238 will hold its business meeting on Friday evening in the K. of C. Hall at 8. Officers and drill team are requested to be there at 7.30 sharp for practice.

National Anthem Has New Verse

LONDON (CP)—A children's verse for use with "God Save the King" was sung for the first time at a Christmas play for children at the Holborn Empire Theatre here.

It was written by Miss Italia Conti and sung when Princess Elizabeth, with her mother, The Queen, went to see the play, "Where the Rainbow Ends."

The verse is:
"We who are children weak,
We for the future speak,
Rainbow we bring,
Children of Empire rise,
Hope—faith our battle-cries,
Who lives if England dies?
God save the King."

Installation Is Held By W.B.A.

The regular business meeting of the Woman's Benefit Association Review No. 1 was held at the C.C.F. Hall Monday evening with Mrs. Jean Bowden presiding. Installation took place with Mrs. Caroline O'Brien, Provincial Field Director, as installing officer; Mrs. Ritchie, chaplain, and ladies of ceremony, Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Wilkinson, the following officers being installed: President, Mrs. Bowden; vice-president, Mrs. Barclough; past president, Mrs. Burnett; recording secretary, Mrs. Benson; treasurer, Mrs. Alice Ritchie; financial secretary, Mrs. C. W. McAllister; chaplain, Mrs. Thompson; lady of ceremonies, Mrs. Baillies; sergeant, Mrs. McNeil; inner hostess, Mrs. Smith; outer hostess, Mrs. Davis; officer of the way, Mrs. Keefer; captain of the guard, Miss Marjorie Morris; standard-bearers, Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Manson; color bearers, Mrs. Hening; Mrs. Trowsdale, Mrs. Minnis and Mrs. Malcolm; ensign, Mrs. Taylor; pioneer president, Mrs. Winter. Mrs. Bowden presented Mrs. O'Brien with a gift for her work

as installing officer.

Mrs. M. A. Ritchie, retiring president, was presented with a lovely gift by Mrs. O'Brien for her faithful services to the review for the past number of years. Gifts were also presented to the chaplain, ladies of ceremony for the installation, to Mrs. Hole who acted as musician, and to Mrs. Malcolm and Mrs. Minnis, in appreciation of the work done during the past year.

Mrs. O'Brien spoke regarding the visit of the supreme secretary in April and plans being made for her reception.

The officers' meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bowden, Southgate Street, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A meeting of the Pioneer Club will be held on January 13 at Mrs. Dresser's home.

After the meeting refreshments were served with Mrs. Baillies and Mrs. Minnis as social conveners.

Late Viscountess Keen on Politics
LONDON—A noted hostess and keenly interested in politics, Viscountess Massereene and Ferrard, died at her home in the

Isle of Mull recently at the age of 54.

During the Ulster crisis of 1913-14 Lady Massereene organized 12 hospitals and the same number of Voluntary Aid Detachments, and during the Great War she was commandant of the Women's Legions canteens. She was a great authority on ghosts and folk lore.

The youngest Lady-in-Waiting in the service of the Royal Family has just been appointed. She is 25-year-old Miss Peggy Gordon-Moore, who will accompany Princess Marie Louise on her trip round Africa this month.

A new German steamship for narrow rivers or canals is equipped with a suction device, so that no waves churn up the water in the wake of the ship.

ST. ALBAN'S A.Y.P.A.

Members of St. Alban's A.Y.P.A. will meet at 6.45 Friday evening, at Shelbourne and Haultain Streets, from where they will proceed to the Oak Bay Theatre.

The branch will attend in a body the special young people's service at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, on Sunday, meeting outside St. Mary's at 6.45 p.m. Following the service, a rally will be held in the hall, when Mr. Charles Bunting, provincial A.Y.P.A. president, will be guest of honor.

Members are asked to note the change in meeting nights. Commencing this Friday, meetings will be held every other week.

The Church of England has 248 women working as deaconesses.

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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

Two Kamloops Skaters Drown

Boy and Girl Plunge Through
Thin Ice of South Thompson
River

KAMLOOPS, B. C. (CP)—Two
young members of a skating
party were drowned here Tuesday
night when they plunged
through an airhole while skating
on the partially-frozen South
Thompson River.

Two others were rescued from
a similar fate and taken to
hospital suffering from shock and
exposure in the icy waters when
they fell past the southern interior
British Columbia city. A fifth
youth attempting a rescue also
plunged through thin ice, but
managed to escape without aid.
British Columbia police said
Joseph Carlin, 17, and Patsy

Kelly, 13, drowned when the
brittle-thin ice of an airhole col-
lapsed as they skated about with
scores of other young people.

Their bodies have not been re-
covered. Martha Slack, high school
student, and Jimmy Smith were
rescued by companions who
reached the scene too late to aid
Carlin and Patsy.

CENTENNIAL Y.P.S.

The Centennial Young People's
Society held their annual banquet
at the Mayfair Cafe on Tuesday
evening with 31 members present.
Special guests of the society were
Dr. A. D. Reid, minister of Cen-
tennial Church and Mun Hope,
president of the Victoria Young
People's Council of the United
Church. The officers gave their
reports showing a most success-
ful year, and an increase in the
average attendance during the
year.

Dr. A. D. Reid acted as chair-
man during the election of of-
ficers for the coming year. Hon-

orary president, Dr. A. D. Reid;
president, Frank Hollins; vice-
president, Bill Deaville; sec-
retary, Margaret Muirhead;
treasurer, Margaret Cargill; pro-
gramme convener, Ernie Hatch;
social, Edith Gentry; recreational,
Roderick Muirhead; musical,
Edna Fuller; devotional, Pearl
Cox. Bill Deaville and Ernie
Hatch led the group in games
after which the meeting closed
with the Mizpah benediction.

Lloyd George On Visit to Windsors

CANNES, France. (AP)—
David Lloyd George, veteran
British Liberal statesman, Tues-
day visited the Duke and
Duchess of Windsor at the Villa
Lou Veie, where they are guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Herman L.
Rogers. The Duke's equerry,
Dudley Forwood, announced Mr.
Lloyd George's visit, but declined
to give details.

Radio Programmes

Network Stations

National Red—KOMO (920), KPO (880),
National Blue—KJR (770), KGO (760),
Columbia—KIRO (710), KVI (660), KIX
(1,050), KSL (1,120),
Mutual—KOL (1,270),
Canadian—CBR (1,100).

Tonight

To Be Advised—National Blue.
Stringing Along—National Red.
Maurice's Orchestra—Columbia.
Singers and Songs—CBR.
French Lessons—KOL.
Campbell Sisters—Mutual at 5:15.

5:30

Latest Hollywood News—National Blue.
Melodie Stripes—Canadian and Columbia.
Housewipers—Mutual.
Under the Sea—KOMO.
Choir Symphonette—National Blue at 5:45.
Charlie Chan—KOMO at 5:45.
Little Orphan Annie—KIRO at 5:45.

6

The Red Ledger—Canadian.
Andre Kostelanetz and Orchestra—Colum-
bia.
Beaux Arts Trio—National Red.
Scandinavian—KJR.
Wordless Talk—KOL.
Phantom Pilot—Mutual at 6:15.

6:30

Thrills—National Red.
Leaves in the Wind—Columbia.
Frank Bull—Mutual.
News—KJR.
News—KOL at 6:45.
News—KOL at 6:45.
News—KJR at 6:45.

7

Labor Organization—Canadian.
Gang Busters, crime dramatization—Co-
lumbia.
General Johnson—National Blue.
Your Hollywood Parade, Dick Powell—
National Red.
Horace Heidt's Orchestra—Mutual.
Readers and Writers—KJR at 7:15.

7:30

Hobby Lobby—Columbia.
Waltz Interlude—National Blue.
Renaissance—Columbia.
CBC Singers—Canadian.

8

Amos 'n' Andy—National Red.
News and Weather—Canadian.
Scattergood Baines—Columbia.
Land of Whistle—KJR.
Boke Carter—Columbia at 8:15.
Lone and About—National Blue at 8:15.
Uncle Ezra—National Red at 8:15.
A Crime Chose—National Blue at 8:15.
Ray Keating's Orchestra—Mutual at 8:15.

8:30

Today's Music—Canadian.
Eddie Cantor's Show—Columbia.
Paul Whiteman's Orchestra—National Blue.
Hawthorne House—National Red.
Sports Review—KOL.
Leo Newman's Orchestra—Mutual at 8:45.

9

One-night Stand—Canadian.
Cavalade of America—Columbia.
Town Hall Tonight, With Fred Allen—
National Red.
Newspaper of the Air—Mutual.
News—KJR.
Along the Waterfront—KOL at 9:15.
Dance Orchestra—National Blue at 9:15.

9:30

Excelsior Glee Club—Canadian.
Chick Webb's Orchestra—National Blue.
Herbie Kay's Orchestra—Mutual.
Stardust Melodies—KVI.
Jan Garber's Orchestra—Columbia at 9:45.

10

Stagecraft—Canadian.
Sterling Young Orchestra—Columbia.
News Flashes—National Red.
Ray Pearl's Orchestra—Mutual.
Weather and News—Canadian at 10:15.
Fletcher Henderson's Orchestra—National
Blue at 10:15.
Vic Arden's Orchestra—KOMO at 10:15.
Cade Nelson's Orchestra—National at 10:15.
Your Witness—Columbia at 10:15.

10:30

Jimmy Orie's Orchestra—National Blue.
Fredde Nagel's Orchestra—National Red.
Organ Recital—Canadian.
Dick Dillane's Orchestra—KOL.
Jack Winston's Orchestra—National Red
at 10:45.

11

Ted Fio Rite's Orchestra—Columbia.
Joe Reichman's Orchestra—National Red.
Shep Field's Orchestra—Mutual.
Songs in the Night—KJR.

11:30

Paul Carson, organist—National Blue.
Sterling Young's Orchestra—Columbia.
Frank Sordino's Orchestra—Mutual.
Archie Loveland's Orchestra—KOMO.
Midnight Matinee—KOL at 11:45.

Tomorrow

Morning Devotionals—KVI.
Top of the Morning—KOL.
Church of the Air—KJR.
Sunrise Serenade—KIRO.

7:30

Financial Service—National Red.
News—KVI.
Morning Reveries—KOMO at 7:45.
Singing Serenade—KJR at 7:45.
Valley Folk—KOL at 7:45.
Your Health—KVI at 7:45.

8

Marge of Castles—National Red.
The Breakfast Hour—CBR.
Musical Clock—KVI.
Merrymakers—Mutual.
Christian Science—KJR.
Cabin at the Crossroads—National Red
at 8:15.
Josh Higgins—National Blue at 8:15.
Judy and Her Jesters—KMX at 8:15.

8:30

Originalities—National Blue.
Lars and Lena—National Red.
Leo Freudberg's Orchestra—Mutual.
Woman's Page—KVI.
Gospel Singer—National Red at 8:45.
Larry Larson—National Blue at 8:45.

9

The Boy and Girl Friend—Canadian.
Sveinore Sigurdson—Mutual.
Mary Margaret McRae—Columbia.
Time for Thought—National Blue.
Friendly Garden—KOL.
George Griffin, songs—Canadian at 9:15.
Edwin C. Hill—Columbia at 9:15.
The O'Learys—National Red at 9:15.
News—KJR at 9:15.

9:30

Vincent Curran, songs—Canadian.
Romance of Helen Trent—Columbia.
National Farm and Home—National Blue.
Cowboy Joe—KOMO.
Lars and Lena—KVI.
The Three Romans—Canadian at 9:45.
Our Gals—Sunday—Columbia at 9:45.
The Are Four—National Red at 9:45.
Homemakers—National Red at 9:45.

10

The Happy Gang—Canadian.
Betty and Bob—Columbia.
John's Other Wife—National Red.
Cecily—KJR.
Lars and Lena—KVI.
Hymns of All Churches—Columbia at 10:15.
Ways—National Red at 10:15.
Dudley's Theatre—Mutual at 10:15.

10:30

Red-Baiter's Orchestra—Canadian.
Romance of Helen Trent—Columbia.
John's Other Wife—National Red.
Cecily—KJR.
Lars and Lena—KVI.
Hymns of All Churches—Columbia at 10:15.
Ways—National Red at 10:15.
Dudley's Theatre—Mutual at 10:15.

11

Big Sister—Columbia.
Prest of Epiphany—National Blue.
Standard School—National Red.
Palmer House Concert—Mutual.
Hymns of All Churches—Columbia at 11:15.
Aunt Jenny—Columbia at 11:15.
Lars and Lena—KVI at 11:15.

11:30

American School of the Air—Columbia.
Beatrice Fairfax—Mutual at 11:45.
Mystery Chef—National Red at 11:45.
Mary Lee Taylor—Columbia.
Pepper Young's Family—National Red.

Radio Headliners

Tonight

6:00—Andre Kostelanetz—Columbia.
7:00—Gang Busters—Columbia.
7:00—Hollywood Parade—National Red.
8:15—Boke Carter—Columbia.
9:00—Twins Hall—National Red.

News Flashes—KOL

Sketches in Black and White—Mutual at
12:15.
Theatre Matinee—Columbia at 12:15.
Ma Perkins—National Red at 12:15.

1:30

U.S. Army Band—Columbia.
School of Music—National Blue.
Vic and Sade—National Red.
Good Health and Training—Mutual.
London Calling—Canadian at 12:45.
Streamline Swing—Mutual at 12:45.
Guiding Light—National Red at 12:45.

2

Literary Excursions—Canadian.
Myrt and Marie—Columbia.
Club Matinee—National Blue.
Women's Clubs—Mutual.
Stagioni—KOMO.
Kitty Kelly—Columbia at 1:15.
Mary Martin—National Red at 1:15.
Club Matinee—National Red at 1:15.

1:30

Martha Meade—National Red.
Step on the Gas—Mutual.
Theatre Before the Senate—Columbia at
1:45.
Orchestra—National Red at 1:45.
Frank Sordino's Orchestra—Mutual at 1:45.

2

Follow the Moon—Columbia.
Bennett and Wolverton—National Red.
The Johnson Family—Mutual.
Harmony House—KVI.
Lars and Lena—KJR.
Kitty Kelly—Columbia at 2:15.
Don Winslow—Canadian at 2:15.
Lady of Millions—KOMO at 2:15.
News—KOL at 2:15.

2:30

Peters and Mathews—Canadian.
Albert White, violinist—Columbia.
Vagabonds—National Blue.
Woman's Magazine—National Red.
Kate on the Key—Mutual.
Hilltop House—Columbia at 2:45.
Closing Songs—Canadian at 2:45.

3

Marek Weber's Orchestra—National Blue.
Teddy Hill's Orchestra—National Red.
City Salute—Columbia.
Feminine Fancies—Mutual.
The In-laws—Columbia at 3:15.

3:30

The Witching Hour—Canadian.
George Hall's Orchestra—Columbia.
Woman's Magazine—National Red.
Dr. Van Wyck—Mutual.
Hilltop House—Columbia at 3:45.
Dinner Concert—National Blue at 3:45.
Ray Keating's Orchestra—Mutual at 3:45.

4

From the Pacific—Canadian.
Afternoon Musicals—National Blue.
Pulitzer Lewis Jr.—Mutual.
Write vs. Secretary—KOMO.
Red Marnie—Columbia at 4:15.
Moe Bill—Canadian at 4:15.
Howard Woods' Orchestra—Mutual at 4:15.

4:30

Ernest Dainoff, organist—Canadian.
String Trio—Columbia.
Headlines—Mutual.
Renaissance—National Red.
Dance Hour—KJR.
Life and Learning—Canadian at 4:45.
Vocals by Rose—Columbia at 4:45.
Freddie Martin's Orchestra—National Blue
at 4:45.

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4:45—Dance Music 7:15—Victoria Cross
5:00—Monitors 7:30—Firetide
5:30—Birthdays 8:00—Rendezvous
5:45—Art 8:30—John McCormack
6:15—Music Lovers 9:00—News
7:00—Supper Dance 9:30—Old-time
TOMORROW

7:30—Wake Up a Sing 10:45—Art Party
8:00—Timely Topics 11:00—Interlude
8:15—Varieties 12:00—Concert Hour
8:30—Chronometer 12:30—Non-Plashes
8:45—Notes & News 12:45—Varieties
9:00—Financial 1:00—Healing Words
9:45—M. Chevalier 1:15—Frances Lang-
ford, soprano
10:15—Indian Lyrics 1:30—World Bookman
10:30—Art Party 1:30—Friendly Hour

LESLIE SCOTT IS PRESIDENT

Elected Head of Britannia
Branch By Acclamation;
Other Officers

Leslie G. Scott was elected
president of the Britannia Branch
of the Canadian Legion by ac-
clamation when nominations for the
1938 slate of officers closed at
last night's general meeting of
the unit.

Others voted into office by ac-
clamation were: Percy C. Payne,
first vice-president; W. L. Wood-
house, second vice-president, and
P. H. Winn, treasurer.

Jack Neary is past president.
Dave Croston's nomination for
the chairmanship of the ways
and means committee went un-
contested, while the head of the
house committee will be either
G. C. Thomas or C. F. Dawson.

H. Thompson, H. L. Butteris and
D. G. Holmes are candidates for
chairman of the pension com-
mittee.

They will be voted on at the
annual meeting to be held Feb-
ruary 1.

Jack Neary and W. G. Stone
were elected delegates of the
branch to attend to Dominion
convention of the Canadian Le-
gion in Fort William. The con-
vention will open on January 31
and continue until February 3.

Twelve new members were
admitted to the membership.

Members voted that the proper
authorities be approached with
regard to a uniform version of
"O Canada."

A church parade will be held
in St. John's Church on Sunday,
January 30, subject to the ap-
proval of the clergy. The sum of
\$120 was voted to the Veterans'
Adjustment Bureau at Ottawa. H.
Pearson was presented with a
cup from bowling members.

ALBERTA SESSION
EDMONTON (CP)—Official
call to the members of the Al-
berta Legislature to attend the
opening of the 1938 session
February 10 at 3 o'clock is con-
tained in the current issue of the
Alberta Gazette. A two-day
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Navy Toilet Tissue, 7 rolls, 50c	

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Cutrite Waxpaper, large roll, pkt. for	27c
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SOUP—Campbell's Tomato	20c	BACON, smoked, sliced, lb.	22c
COFFEE, fresh roasted, ground daily, per lb.	20c	MEAT PASTES, Medlums, Plain or Pimento	14c
HUNTER'S CHEESE, ½-lb. pkts.	14c	PEACHES—Aylmer brand, halves or slices, No. 2 tin	14c
PANCAKE FLOUR—Aunt Jemima, pkt.	16c	TOMATO KETCHUP, Clark's, large bottle	13c
SYRUP, Roger's, 2-lb. tin	15c	CRISCO, 3-lb. tin	59c
SOUP MIX, 2 lbs.	17c	LENTILS, 2 lbs.	15c
BARLEY, 2 lbs.	17c	SPLIT PEAS, 2 lbs.	13c
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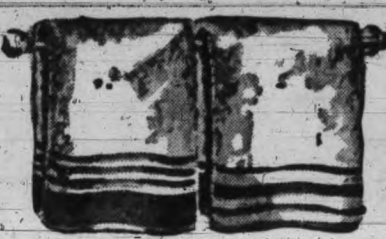
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JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

DOMESTICS AND LINENS

THE THRIFTY HOME MANAGER WILL STOCK UP AT THESE LOW SALE PRICES...



TOWELS

ENGLISH TURKISH TOWELS
Gay colored effects that are fast to washing. Durable and quick drying. Each. **32c**

White English Bath Towels
Soft, snowy white Towels that are lovely and so absorbent. A generous size. Each. **48c**

EXTRA LARGE BATH TOWELS
Thick, thirsty Towels that you'll enjoy using. White with fine red stripe border. Each. **67c**

IMPORTED FANCY TURKISH TOWELS

Lovely, spongy Towels in dainty pastel shades... trimmed with chenille borders.
Bath Towels, regular 1.00, for, each. **69c**
Face Towels, regular 30c, for, each. **27c**
Wash Cloths, regular 20c, for, each. **19c**

TEA TOWELS

A generous offer of quick-drying, pure linen Tea Towels. Slightly substantial, but will give excellent wear. Each. **23c**

BATH MATS

Thick, spongy Mats in attractive color effects... they're washable. Each. **1.00**

9 A.M. SPECIALS!

ENGLISH TURKISH TOWELS

Good sturdy weave for everyday use... serviceable colors. Each (Limit 4) **17c**

HORROCKSES PILLOW CASES

Woven from fine Egyptian cottons for long wear. Near hemstitched ends. 42 inches. Each (Limit 6) **33c**

UNBLEACHED SHEETING

60 inches wide. Will soon bleach white. Make up several pairs of sheets. NOW, Yard. **33c**

HAND-MADE LACE CLOTHS

Fine Net Spreads or heavier Tuscan Cloths in the most intricate designs. This is your opportunity to have a lovely Cloth at a great saving.

70x90 Tuscan Cloths, each **1.29, 2.95, 3.89**
90x100 Net Spreads, each **3.89 and 4.89**

LINEN LUNCHEON SETS

An ideal set for everyday use. Linen that launders perfectly and still retains a fresh, new appearance; 52x52 cloth and 4 napkins. Set. **1.69**

ENGLISH BLEACHED SHEETING

Splendid quality Sheeting that will give many years of satisfactory stock up now at this exceptionally low price.
18-inch, regular 80c. **39c**
30-inch, regular 80c. **49c**

PURE LINEN PILLOW CASES

Lovely long-wearing Pillow Cases made from pure linen... bleached snowy white and finished with hand-drawn hemstitching; 42 inches. Don't miss this grand opportunity, PAIR **98c**

MATRESS COVERS

Protect your mattress with these washable covers. Household size only, each. **1.00**

RAYON BEDSPREADS

Attractive—brocaded Rayon Bedspreads, in solid pastel shades of rose, blue, mauve, red and green. Size 80x100. Each. **1.98**

Wabasso Pillow Cases

Fully bleached... medium weight. These are so easy to launder. Each. **19c**

SPECIAL CLEARANCE OF SHOP-SOILED LINENS AND BEDDING

A vast assortment of useful household articles. You can make amazing savings by shopping early to secure best choice of these excellent values. Included are: Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bedspreads, Bath Mats, Turkish Towels, Duck Towels, Tea Towels, Napkins, Runners, Luncheon Cloths, Linen Duck Cloths; Art Silk Cloths and Sets, Tuscan Pieces, Laundry Bags and Madeira Linens. Every piece to clear at ONE-THIRD OFF. Linens, Street Floor at THE BAY

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

BETTER SILKS...

In crepe weaves, jacquard weaves, satins and crepe de chine. A berry of lovely shades from which to select. Regular 1.00 yard.

1/3 off REGULAR PRICE

54-INCH COATINGS

Priced for quick clearance are basket weaves, flecks and tweedy mixtures. A fine assortment. Yard. **83c**

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS

Choice ends of wool Coatings, Suitings, Dress Weights, Silks, Novelties, Laces and cotton Wash goods. All practical lengths that you'll find very useful.

1/3 to 1/2 OFF

NOTIONS AND STATIONERY

3-DAY SPECIALS—THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

"LASTEX" GIRDLES 2-way stretch... pantie style, or with 4 hose supports. Regular 98c.	84c	RUBBER APRONS Coverall style. Regular 30c.	29c	PLAYING CARDS Double decks... gilt edge, linen finish. Regular 1.00.	69c
BRASSIERES Rayon materials with lace trim. Small, medium, large. Regular 20c.	19c	LEATHERETTE CUSHIONS Square basketweave design, kapok filled. Regular 30c.	29c	BRIDGE CLOTHS Suede material in black or fawn. Regular 60c.	49c
PANTIES OR BLOOMERS Rayon 25c.	23c	SHOPPING BAGS 25 only! Covert cloth and leatherette material. Regular 50c.	39c	WAX PAPER Westminster, 100-foot rolls. Regular 20c.	23c
IRONING BOARD PAD AND COVER Heavy felt pad and cotton cover. Special. 49c		COMPENDIUMS Best quality English stationery in handy folio. Regular 50c.	49c	PAPER SERVETTES Embossed designs in white or pastel shades. Regular 15c.	2 for 25c
SILHOUETTE PICTURES Black on white... a variety of subjects. Regular 50c.	39c	BRIDGE CLOTHS Moire material, in plain or two-tone shades. Regular 1.50.	89c	REMINISCENT BAND TYPEWRITER 1 only! Portable machine, fully guaranteed. Regular 49.50.	39.50
SEWING CABINETS 12 only. Wood cabinets, dark finish with handle. Regular 85c.	69c	CYONET WRITING PADS 200 sheets letter-size paper. Regular 35c.	29c	FOUNTAIN PENS 14-carat gold nib. Fully guaranteed.	69c

SMOKING STANDS

25 only! Chrome and enamel finish stands with handle; 20 inches high, weighted base, good size ash holder. Regular 1.19. **89c**

ASH TRAYS

Large size metal Ash Trays in walnut finish. Removable glass ash holder, two cigarette rests and match holder. Regular 40c. **39c**

SPRING-FILLED MATTRESSES

DISCONTINUED LINES GREATLY REDUCED IN PRICE LIMITED QUANTITIES ONLY—SHOP EARLY!

4 only, Spring-filled Mattresses: 4.0 and 4.6. Regular 2.50.	13.95	1 only, Spring-filled Mattress: 4.6. Regular 4.0.	29.50
5 only, Spring-filled Mattresses: all sizes. Regular 4.0.	15.95	1 only, Felt Mattress, cover slightly soiled; 4.6.	4.95
1 only, Spring-filled Mattress: 4.6.	17.50	3 only, Felt Mattresses: 4.0 and 4.6. 4.6.	5.95
1 only, Spring-filled Mattress: 4.0.	25.00	3 only, Felt Mattresses: 4.0 and 4.6. 4.6.	7.95
1 only, Spring-filled Mattress: 4.6.	29.50	1 only, Double Bed and Chiffonier, Bone and white finish... slightly imperfect.	23.75



FURNITURE ODDMENTS

1 only, Plate Glass Mirror, shield shape, with card. Regular 2.50.	5.95	12 only, Folding Chairs. Regular 1.00.	1.00
2 only, Wall Bracket. Regular 1.50.	1.00	1 only, Solid Walnut Marasine Table. Reg. 7.50.	4.95
1 only, Wall Bracket. Regular 1.50.	1.00	2 only, Solid Walnut Lamp Tables. Regular 7.50.	4.95
1 only, Mahogany Gate-leg Table. Regular 20.50.	19.75	1 only, Kneehole Desk, walnut. Regular 45.00.	35.00
4 only, Bentwood Chairs. Regular 3.75.	1.95	1 only, Walnut Cocktail Table. Regular 25.50.	19.75
		1 only, Chiffonier, walnut finish. Regular 11.50.	9.95
		3 only, Maple Chairs, wood seat. Regular 6.00.	4.95

READY-MADE CURTAINS

SAMPLES AND ODDMENTS—100 PAIRS ONLY

The last pair of a pattern or color... some used as samples in the department... others slightly soiled. These formerly sold at prices from 50c to 6.50 per pair. All offered at exactly half price. See them displayed in our Drapery Department.

HALF PRICE

Ruffled Scrim Curtains

30 inches wide and 2½ yards long. Plain cream; also self-striped scrim, with dainty ruffled edge in attractive colors. Remarkable value at this price, pair. **79c**

AXMINSTER RUGS

Regular 3.95. A limited quantity only... so make selection early. Manufacturer's discontinued patterns... excellent wearing Rugs that may be used in any part of the home. Size 7½ ft. Each. **3.29**

SPECIAL CLEARANCE OF ENAMELWARE

GROUP 1 Enamelware seconds, including Pail, London Kettle, Dishpan and Saucepan. These have slight imperfections, but wearing qualities not impaired. Sorry, limited quantity only... no show early, each.	49c	1 only, 5-quart Pot. Regular 6.00. Special.	4.50
GROUP 2 Ivory with red trim Enamelware—4½-quart Teakettle.	89c	1 only, 4-quart Teakettle. Regular 6.00. Special.	4.50
3½-quart London Kettle.	89c	1 only, 1-quart Saucepan. Regular 3.15. Special.	2.30
3½-quart Teakettle.	79c		
GROUP 3 Chip-proof Enamelware—Green with black trim at ONE-THIRD OFF.			
1 only, 3-quart Saucepan. Regular 5.50. Special.	2.60		
2 only, Chicken Fryer. Regular 6.00. Special.	4.60		
2 only, Roasters. Regular 1.50. Special.	5.30		



CLEARANCE SALE OF IMPORTED CHINAWARE ... AT HALF PRICE...

24-piece Tea Sets... dainty floral decoration. Regular 2.95. Half price.	1.47	China Berry Bowls... clever designs. Regular 9c. Half price.	4c	Cups and Saucers, assorted decorations. Reg. 5c. Special.	4c
17-piece Coffee Set, 6 cups and saucers, coffee pot, sugar and cream. Half price.	97c	Jumbo Jars with figure decorations. Regular 40c.	24c	4-Piece Kitchen Set, each jar with cover—graduated sizes. Regular 30c. Special.	29c
15-piece Bridge Set. Regular 1.35. Half price.	62c	6-cup China Teapots. Regular 30c. Half price.	19c	Colorful decorated Jardinieres, good sizes. Regular 20c. Special.	9c
13-piece Bridge Set with floral decoration. Regular 1.00. Half price.	97c	4 and 6-cup Teapots, black body. Regular 20c. Half price.	15c	3-Piece Kitchen Bowl Sets, floral pattern. Regular 30c. Special.	29c
Brown Rustle Mug. Regular 5c. Half price.	3c	Refrigerator design covered Butter Dishes. Regular 30c.	12c	Blue Willow Sugar and Creamer. Sugar has cover. Regular 30c. Special.	12c
6-cup Blue Windmill Teapot. Regular 35c. Half price.	12c	Refrigerator design Teapot. Regular 30c. Special.	12c	Sectioned Relish Dish... comes in colored lacquered box. Regular 75c. Special.	37c
Individual Baker, oval shape, white wood, Reg. 8c. Half price.	4c	Set of 5 Blue Windmill Bowls—graduated sizes. Regular 40c. Special.	24c		
Heavy Green-lined Bowl. Regular 10c. Half price.	5c				

SALE OF RECONDITIONED CONSOLE RADIOS

Edison	14.50	Lyrie	24.50
Majestic	19.50	Rogers Automatic Combination	54.50
Dictator	24.50	Victor Combination Radio	54.50
Victor	24.50	Victor Short-wave, 12 tubes, for	99.50
Westinghouse	24.50	Victor Short-wave, 10 tubes, for	84.50
Rogers	19.50		
Westinghouse	19.50		
Rogers	24.50		
Kolster	24.50		

TABLE RADIOS

Radiola	6.95	Fada	6.95
Kolster	6.95	Crosley	6.95
Spartan	17.50	Jackson Bell	17.50
Dictator	34.50	Philco	42.50
Short-wave		Short-wave	
Victor... Short-wave	37.50	Victor Short-wave	79.50

ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS

Kelvinator Electric Refrigerator, for	84.00
Norge Electric Refrigerator, for	79.00

PIANOS

Thomas Organ	27.50
Newcombe Piano	115.00
Kingsbury Piano	115.00
Nuefeld, at	75.00

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THURSDAY-FRIDAY-SATURDAY

January Clearance

A GREAT THREE-DAY STORE-WIDE SALE

This sale brings unusual savings on merchandise that you want right now, for yourself, your family or your home. Every floor, every department of this modern store, has contributed to make this three-day sale one that every thrifty person will want to share in generously.

In addition to low sale prices, you are assured of quality merchandise in every instance. Thousands of dollars' worth of regular stocks have been reduced in price for this event—all superior HBC quality. Plan now to buy and save in this Annual Sale.

The "Bay's" many service facilities will add much to the comfort and enjoyment of your shopping. Comfortable rest rooms, free auto parking lot, Personal Shopping Service, Restaurant, Coffee Shoppe, etc. Then, too, a "Bay" Budget Plan, Deferred Payment Plan, or a Charge Account will make it easy and convenient to buy.



SALE OF FUR-TRIMMED COATS

All Coats in novelty and fur-trimmed styles... greatly reduced for this event. Whatever type you prefer... you'll have no difficulty in making your selection from these groups. Take advantage of this splendid opportunity and purchase your Winter Coat or Suit NOW—and save.

REGULAR 12.95 AND 14.95
Ribbed all-wool fabrics in styles for misses and women. Brown, navy and black.
Fully lined **8.95**

REGULAR 19.75 AND 25.00
Including all-wool novelty woollens and ribbed weaves, in clever styles suitable for misses and matrons. Richly furred.
Reduced to **15.95**

REGULAR 29.50 AND 35.00
An excellent assortment in small, medium and a few large sizes. Fine all-wool fabrics, trimmed with quality furs.
Reduced to **18.95**

INDIVIDUAL MODEL COATS AND SUITS
Formerly 39.50, reduced to **23.75**
Formerly 49.50, reduced to **32.75**
Formerly 59.50, reduced to **39.75**
—Coats, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

BLOUSE SALE

This exciting selection includes crepe de chine, callottes, floral prints and plain crepes. The majority have short sleeves... some have mannishly tailored effects, jabot and pleated fronts. Many charming colors from which to choose. Sizes collectively 34 to 42.
1.69

NECKWEAR

To give your frock that "fresh as a daisy" appearance... and every piece would ordinarily sell at 1.00. Included are lace, crepe, satins, crepe de chine and sheers, in a choice of tailored or frilly-front styles. White, eggshell and pastels, each **69c**
—Street Floor at THE BAY

JANUARY SALE OF OVERCOATS

REGULAR 42.50
Sorry, men, we only have a limited number... so be the first to make selection! Joseph May of England made these Coats from the finest grade fabrics... perfectly tailored. Raglan style only... handsome overcheck patterns with check backs. Sizes 36 to 42. On sale at **29.50**

WINTER OVERCOATS
REGULAR 19.95
NOW is your opportunity to secure a quality Coat and save 6.00. Good-looking styles in blue chinchillas, Meltons or overchecks. Plain or fancy backs and a few Raglans. Sizes 36 to 44.
13.95

12 ONLY, MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS—Regular 15.95
Great bargains for the first 12 men. Sizes and colors in double-breasted style. On sale at **9.95**

MEN'S SUITS

SALE PRICED
Tailored from fine botany yarns in plain blue serge and fancy pinstripes. All fast dye cloths and shrunk. Cleanse and art silk lined. Single and double-breasted models. Sizes 35 to 46.
REGULAR 19.95 and 16.95. Reduced to 14.95

MEN'S ALL-WOOL TWEED SUITS
A group selected from our regular stock... in grey or fawn all-wool tweeds. Perfect-fitting garments that will give excellent wear. Sizes 35 to 46.
REGULAR 12.95. Reduced to 9.95

4 ONLY, MEN'S TUXEDO SUITS
Correctly cut and perfectly styled—1 size 34, 2 size 42, 1 size 44. Regular 19.95. On sale at **14.95**
—Men's Clothing, Street Floor at THE BAY

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MEN'S SILK GOWNS
Sorry, only 6! English polka dot Silk Gowns... sizes 36 to 40. Regular 6.95. Reduced to **3.95**

ENGLISH WOOL GOWNS
REGULAR 9.95
14 ONLY! Men's all-wool Gowns in plain or overcheck designs. Sizes 36 to 44. Splendid value at this low price.
6.95



MILLINERY SALE

It's surprising how a new Hat will transform your ensemble... and make you look and feel refreshingly different. These distinctive model Hats have been reduced to half price, so that you can now purchase a quality Hat and enjoy this unusual saving. Select from black, navy, brown. Regular 7.95 to 12.50, reduced—3.95 to **6.25**

Trimmed Hats, also a few velours, reduced for clearance. Black, navy, brown, wine, dark green and grey. Formerly 5.95 and 5.00. On sale at **3.95**

60 Hats... mostly felts and a few velvets, reduced from higher priced lines, to clear at **1.95**
—Millinery, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

600 PAIRS WOMEN'S FINE SHOES REDUCED TO CLEAR

150 PAIRS REGULAR 6.50 SHOES
Truly beautiful Shoes, including Janet-Lee and Luxuria models; also clever ties and pumps. Black, brown and blue kidskin, in a splendid range of sizes. **4.85**

200 PAIRS REGULAR 5.00 SHOES
A splendid variety of styles, patterns and sizes... every pair has been taken from our regular stock of 5.00 Shoes. Select several pairs at this inviting price, and enjoy this **3.85**

250 PAIRS WOMEN'S SHOES
Suitable for street or evening wear... every pair an outstanding value! Exciting new styles and patterns, with high or low heels. Pair **1.85**
—Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

HOSIERY SALE FULL-FASHIONED SILK HOSE

Be on hand early for this special! They're fine-gauged pure silk in assorted weights of chiffon, semi-service, crepe, etc. Smart seasonable shades. Thighs of 20 and 1.00 hose. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. 2 pairs **89c**. No phone orders or exchanges, please.

PERFECT CHIFFON AND SEMI-SERVICE HOSIERY
Clear, sheer chiffons of pure silk in 4-thread weight, and durable 6-thread semi-service. Strong little feet and garter wells. A good range of fashionable shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Pair **69c**

PERFECT ALL-SILK SERVICE CHIFFON HOSE
Stockings that usually sell at 1.50 a pair. Beautiful pure thread silk from reinforced toes to silk tops... in the best seasonable shades. Limited quantity only, so shop early. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Pair **79c**
No phone orders or exchanges, please.
—Hosiery, Street Floor at THE BAY

WOMEN'S LEATHER GLOVES

An assortment that includes capeskin, mocha and a few Sierrita kid, in broken range of sizes and colors. Black, brown, navy in sizes from 6 to 7 1/2. Collectively. Pair **1.19**
—Gloves, Street Floor at THE BAY

SALE OF BETTER AFTERNOON DRESSES

Reduced 20% off regular prices! Pep up your wardrobe with a stunning new Frock, at a remarkable saving! You'll find exciting Dresses for afternoon, dinner or formal wear... featuring the newest fabrics... Royalty crepe, Bedford satin, pompon cloth and many others. Shown in all the fashionable shades, including black.

Regular 14.95, Reduced to **11.95**
Regular 19.75, Reduced to **15.80**
Regular 25.00, Reduced to **20.00**
Regular 29.50, Reduced to **23.60**

REGULAR 4.95 DRESSES
Flattering styles for misses and women, with long and half-length sleeves... shown in a variety of lovely colors. These may be worn for afternoon and street wear.
On sale at **2.69**

AFTERNOON DRESSES

A group of 50 Frocks selected from higher priced lines... crepes and sheers with velvet and satin trimmings. You'll find just your type in this assortment.
Reduced to **5.00**

SILK PRINTS

A grand range of styles, colors and designs. These have just arrived and will be featured during this event.
Reduced to **2.95**
—Dresses, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

HOME FROCKS

A host of guaranteed color-fast Frocks in neatly trimmed tailored styles. A wide variety of attractive styles, colors and sizes from which to choose.

Regular 1.90 and Regular 1.50. To clear at **1.19**
Regular 1.90. To Artist Smocks, reg. 1.90. To clear at **1.39**
Regular 1.90. To clear at **1.39**
—Cotton Frock Shop, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

WOMEN'S WOOL UNDERWEAR

"Harvey" Combinations
All-wool, or silk and wool. Combs with short sleeve or built-up strap style. Knee length.
Regular 2.98. To clear at **1.98**

Harvey "Waffle Knit" COMBINATIONS
A factory clearance of substandards and overruns of the regular 1.50 line of silk and wool combinations. Flesh only. To clear **50c**

VESTS, PANTIES AND BLOOMERS

Oddments selected from our regular stock of silk and wool, wool and cotton or all-wool garments. Broken range of sizes. Regular 89c and 1.00. To clear at, each **69c**
—Lingerie, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

FOUNDATION GARMENTS

Semi-step-in style, well boned and lace brassiere top. Sizes 40 to 44. To clear at **3.95**

"GOSARD" CORSETS
Front-lace style... firmly boned... made from strong brocade coutil. Sizes 28 to 31. To clear at **3.95**

"GOSARD" CORSELETTES
Missimply and combination models with and without inner belts. Sizes 33 to 40. To clear at **3.95**
—Corsets, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

SALE OF CHILDREN'S WEAR

CHILDREN'S SLEEPERS
"Moodle's" fleeced-lined garments with feet long sleeves, button-back. White. Sizes 5 years only. Regular 95c. To clear at, each **69c**

INFANTS' GERTRUDES
Soft flannellette, button-shoulder style... good length. In white only. Regular 49c, for **29c**

LITTLE BOYS' COVERALLS
With long sleeves, long legs, double knees and button front. Made from "g test" guaranteed drill. Sizes 3 to 6 years. To clear at, each **1.00**

CHILDREN'S RAINCOATS

Waterproof leatherette Coats in double-breasted style. Warmly lined. Cute hats to match. Red only. Slightly shop soiled. Sizes 2, 12, 14, 16X. Regular 3.98. Reduced to **2.98**

GIRLS' DRESSES
Neat styles in Carlton crepe and cosy shetland cloth, with long sleeves... floral and novelty designs. Sizes 4 to 14. Regular 1.59 and 1.79. To clear at **1.19**
—Children's Wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

IMPORTANT WOOL SALE

NEW "FLEECY DOWN" WOOL

Soft 4-ply Botany fingering that wise knitters will immediately recognize as "Extra Special." Full one-ounce balls in the following shades:

Terra Cotta	Beige	Desert Brown	Flame
Black	White	Gooseberry	Midi Blue
Scarlet	Sky	Lavender	Emerald
Palema	Canary	Sea Green	Pearl
Orange	Midnight Sun	Pink	Rose
Maroon	Coral	Chartreuse	Navy Saxe

CLEARANCE OF FANCY WOOLS

A splendid choice of Nubby Twist—Mystic—Lazela Cordula and Sunart. Values that regularly sell at 30c per skein, in a wide assortment collectively of real desirable shades. Suitable for knitting suits, dresses, sweaters, etc. Shop early for best selection. Skein **19c**

ENGLISH 4-PLY FINGERING AND 4-PLY P. & K. SAXONY WOOL
Outstanding value at this price. Real quality Wool in an assortment of 16 attractive shades, for sweaters, socks, boys' garments. Pound **1.59**
—Art Needlework, Street Floor at THE BAY

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SECOND SECTION

Boston and Detroit In Smart Hockey Wins

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WHILE Victoria's Crimson Tide is definitely out of this season's McKechnie Cup race as far as getting a look in on the silverware is concerned, they will be out there at Macdonald Park late this month to show Varsity there is still plenty of spark left in local rugby representation.

The cards were stacked against them in the opener with the U.B.C. Thunderbirds. They had never played before against first-rate competition and the loss of Bill Brown, star wing three-quarter, early in the game, put the Indian sign on their chances of victory in the initial encounter.

While the Vancouver "rep" game was a similar story as far as score went, Victoria turned in a sparkling exhibition. They were theoretically handicapped by the absence of two regulars at the last minute and had to shoot in a couple of veterans. On paper the Capital City was on the short end of the odds before the game, but belied the betting when they gave the mainlanders who had handed Varsity a pasting for a one-game lead, a run for their money.

On the inference Wally Brynjolfsson's boys will be in the best shape by January 22 and the starting lineup, intact at the opening whistle, Varsity is going to have a tough proposition on its hands. Although there is the fundamental basis for the sport in "the spirit of the game," a phrase which is banded from time to time among the touch-line old-timers, the forthcoming fixture should be a good test of this when Victoria matches kicks, tackles and passes for no particular reason with the Thunderbirds. There will be no trophy at stake, just the glory of playing rugby for the sake of the game and a chance to beat the U.B.C. fifteen.

Here's one of the latest in the sports world—a correspondence school for tennis players. And the teacher is none other than the well-known Mercer Beasley, who developed Frankie Parker, Mercer's latest scheme was conceived back in 1933, when he penned Parker into the United States junior title with instructions that arrived in each morning's mail.

The institution came into being a year ago and now has an enrollment of 390 students, ranging from 12 to 67, in 14 countries. Beasley even has three professional in his classes. Major Cooper Hunt, England, is his star pupil. The others are a Chinese named Twei Tik Kan and a girl coach at a southern college.

There are three courses of 10 lessons, one for beginners, another for average players and a third for advanced scholars. Examinations are given at the end of each and the student, upon receiving a pass mark, is invited to enter a higher sphere of knowledge. Beasley teaches by numbers. He sends his correspondents a diagram of a court with scoring targets along the sidelines designated by numerals running from one to six and at the centre of the baselines by the letters A and B. He even plays matches with his pupils by mail.

OAK BAY GOLF

In the women's par competition held at the Victoria Golf Club yesterday Mrs. E. F. Nickson led in class A with a score of 94-17-77, and Mrs. A. Gillespie won class B with 92-22-77.

OUR ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

IS NOW IN FULL SWING
Ruthless Price Reductions
Throughout Our Entire Stock

CATHCART'S
1208 DOUGLAS STREET

Former Shatter Toronto Defence For Easy Triumph

Bruins Pile Through to Score 6 to 3 Victory; Wings Blank Canadiens

Rangers in Draw

There's nothing like a good beating to tone down a high-flying hockey team that may imagine it can soar through to the Stanley Cup without hitting an air pocket or two. It was Toronto Maple Leafs' turn last night at Boston. Art Ross's Bruins showed a crowd of 16,000 just where the Leaf weakness lies as they slipped through the Toronto defences to mark up a 6 to 3 win, their third in as many games against Leafs this season.

The loss was serious for Conny Smythe's team because New York Americans drew up to within two points of them in the National Hockey League's Canadian division by tying Rangers 5 to 5 in New York.

Red Dutton's team edged into second place alone as Canadiens were defeated 3 to 0 by Detroit Red Wings in Montreal.

The victory for Jack Adams' world champions was their first in 10 games and it brought them to within four points of Chicago Black Hawks, in the American division's third spot.

SMITH GOES BIG

Hooley Smith must have heard that Tommy Gorman wanted him for his Montreal Maroons. For he justified his job with Americans by scoring two goals in three minutes of the first period against Rangers.

Americans had the score at 4 to 1 in the second period, but Lester Patrick's men rapped in three counters to tie the score and matched Americans' goal in the third. Besides Smith, Eddie Wiseman, Nels Stewart and Lorne Carr scored for Americans. Alex Shibley and Bryan Hextall shared four Ranger goals and the veteran Cecil Dillon got the other.

Ebbie Goodfellow's steady influence on the Detroit defence as he returns to form after his long layoff was seen at Montreal. Johnny Sorrell broke away in the last minute of the second period for their first goal after the Habitués had forced the play for two periods but found the Detroit defence too tough. When Canadiens sent four forwards down in the last period Red Beattie and Larry Aurie slipped through for the Detroit counters that made the outcome sure.

BOSTON-TORONTO

First period—1, Boston, Getliffe, 5:20; 2, Boston, Goldworthy (Welland), 5:25; 3, Toronto, Metz (Kelly), 10:05; 4, Boston, A. Jackson (Welland, Goldworthy), 15:43. Penalties: Horner, A. Jackson.

Second period—5, Boston, Getliffe (Cowley), 17:44. Penalty: Bauer.

Third period—6, Toronto, Drillon (Davidson, H. Jackson), 6:50; 7, Toronto, Metz (Fowler), 7:46; 8, Boston, Bauer, 12:02; 9, Boston, Goldworthy (Welland, Hollett), 13:22. Penalties: Hollett, Cowley, Davidson, Boll, Apps.

RANGERS-AMERICANS

First period—1, Americans, Smith, 3:43; 2, Americans, Smith (Day), 6:43; 3, Rangers, Dillon (C. Smith), 7:19; 4, Americans, Wiseman (Schriner, Stewart), 19:39. Penalties: Gallagher, Heller.

Second period—5, Americans, Stewart, 2:55; 6, Rangers, Hextall (Watson), 7:19; 7, Rangers, Shibley (Patrick, N. Colville), 11:16; 8, Rangers, Hextall (Watson), 13:14. Penalties: Johnson, Jerwa.

Third period—Americans, Carr (Jerwa), 3:00; 10, Rangers, Shi-

HOCKEY STANDINGS

N. H. L.									
Canadian Division									
	W	L	D	T	P	G	A	P	
Toronto	10	8	1	1	0	40	23		
Americans	10	8	1	1	0	40	23		
Canadiens	10	8	1	1	0	34	22		
Maroons	4	13	1	2	0	26	13		

American Division									
	W	L	D	T	P	G	A	P	
Boston	14	5	1	0	0	50	20		
Rangers	10	7	3	0	0	38	23		
Chicago	10	10	3	0	0	45	18		
Detroit	4	14	3	0	0	20	11		

COAST LEAGUE									
	W	L	D	T	P	G	A	P	
Vancouver	11	7	4	0	0	42	26		
Seattle	8	8	4	0	0	33	22		
Spokane	6	7	2	0	0	28	13		
Portland	5	11	5	0	0	38	15		

U.S. LOOKS TO TENNIS FUTURE

National Development Scheme Should Produce Lots of Future Stars

NEW YORK—Don Budge is in Australia and not yet a professional, Bobby Riggs is on the southern circuit and again winning tournaments, so for the present the international supremacy of American tennis appears secure.

But what of the future? That, too, by a more involved process, is being provided for by the officials of the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association.

The "providing" has taken the form of a nationwide development scheme that takes in supervision and tournaments for boys (15 and under), girls, schoolboys, collegians, juniors and, above all, junior Davis Cuppers. The latter, on their title alone, receive the most detailed attention. In the year just past junior Davis Cup squads, with no age limit but generally taking in youngsters between 15 and 20, were established at 28 major tennis points throughout the country.

Each of these squads had the benefit of supervision by its own sectional committee and its own qualified coach. Some played matches with rival squads from other cities. Others sent teams into nearby tournaments. All of them were instructed in the aggressive tactics, the "watch-for-an-opening-and-make-the-most-of-it" policy that is the cardinal rule of Walter L. Pate, captain of the triumphant 1937 forces.

Seattle to Get New Ball Park

SEATTLE—Emil C. Sick, new owner and president of the Seattle Baseball Club, announced yesterday the club will rebuild its ball park on the old Rainier Valley site at a cost of \$150,000.

The new park will seat approximately 15,000 and will be more spacious than the old Dugdale Park which was built in 1916 and destroyed by fire in 1931. The Indians have played on the skinned diamond of the civic stadium the last six years.

Sick said the new park will be ready when the Indians open their home season April 19.

Pacesetters In Major Hockey

(By The Canadian Press)

CANADIAN DIVISION
Standing—Toronto, won 10, lost 5, tied 5, points 25.
Points—Drillon, Rangers, 12 goals, 13 assists, 25 points.
Goals—Drillon, Toronto, and Schriner, Americans, 12.
Assists—Drillon, Toronto 13.
Penalties—Shields, Maroons, 45 minutes.
Shutouts—Robertson, Americans, 4.

AMERICAN DIVISION
Standing—Boston, won 14, lost 5, tied 2, points 30.
Points—Dillon, Rangers, 10 goals, 10 assists, 20 points.
Goals—Dillon, Rangers, 10.
Assists—Barry, Detroit, 11.
Penalties—Heller, Rangers, 38 minutes.
Shutouts—Kerr, Rangers, 6.

As California Turned Back Alabama



Alabama's Crimson Tide beat on the Pacific shores once too often, suffering defeat, 13 to 0, at the hands of California's powerhouse team after four undefeated visits to the Rose Bowl at Pasadena for the annual football classic. And here is how California did it—by stopping the tide in its tracks whenever it threatened. A gold helmeted California player is seen tackling Moseley of Alabama while the ball carrier's teammates look on.

Lieut. Cleland Is Given High Honor

Canada's Noted Rider Is Second Winner of Marsh Memorial Trophy

TORONTO—Second winner of the Lou Marsh Memorial Trophy, awarded annually to Canada's outstanding sports competitor, was announced last night as Lieut. W. Marshall Cleland of the Governor-General's Horse Guards, noted rider who scored a long string of victories in Canadian and United States horse shows in 1937.

The award, first of its kind ever made in Canada to a star in equestrian sports, was announced by a committee of judges headed by P. J. Mulqueen, chairman of the Canadian Olympic Committee. The 1936 winner was Dr. Phil Edwards, famous half-mile of British Guiana and Montreal.

Cleland, son of a wealthy Toronto distillery executive and a rider since he was six years old, established himself as one of the world's best amateur riders by winning international events at New York, Chicago, Montreal and Toronto. His home is at Troy, his father's estate near Hamilton.

MANY NOMINATED

The judges made their selection from 22 athletes in a dozen or more sports. Among those nominated for the trophy were Bob Rankine of Preston, Ont., winner of the Crow Memorial Trophy, given annually by the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, and Syl Apps, Toronto Maple Leaf hockey star, voted the outstanding athlete in a poll of sports writers conducted by the Canadian Press.

Charles Ring, Toronto sportsman and one of the selection judges, donated the trophy in memory of Lou Marsh, late sports editor of The Daily Star, who died early in 1936. It is open to men and women athletes, professionals and amateurs.

The 25-year-old Cleland, a member of the Canadian army team that competed in several horse shows against teams from the Irish Free State, United States, Holland and Belgium, was outstanding on the tanbark wherever he went.

At the Madison Square Garden show in New York, where international competition was keenest, Cleland won the Brooks Bright Foundation Trophy, awarded to the top military rider, and captured the military knock-down-and-out competition.

Indian Quintana Whips Armstrong

TORONTO—Indian Quintana of Panama City unleashed a terrific body attack on Spider Armstrong and scored a unanimous 10-round decision over the Toronto bantamweight here last

Thunderbird To Show Saturday

Back from a successful tour in the "big time" wrestling circuits in the United States, Chief Thunderbird, Victoria's wrestling pride, will return to the Tillicum gym Saturday night, where he will appear in the headline attraction. The promoters are looking around for a real headliner to oppose the chief in the one-hour time limit, three-fall match.

Night School Would Be Help

Clark Griffith, Washington Baseball Leader, Tells Novel Story

WASHINGTON—Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Senators baseball team, paused while mailing out player contracts today to tell this one:

"We had a southern boy who had had a fine season, so when contract time came around I wrote him we were offering him a one-fourth raise in pay."

Griffith said he received an indignant letter from the player three days later, saying:

"You offer a one-fourth raise in pay. After the way I played last year I want a one-fifth raise or I'll quit baseball."

The player—whose batting average was better than his arithmetic—had his way.

Abel Dismissed As Hockey Coach

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont.—Clarence (Taffy) Abel, once in the National Hockey League with New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks, was dismissed yesterday as coach of the Michigan Soo's senior hockey team by manager A. J. Sorenson.

Dismissal came after his team was beaten 5 to 2 by a local aggregation. Sorenson claimed Abel failed to appear some nights for team practices.

night. Quintana weighed 120½ pounds; Armstrong 119½. The Indian, one of the world's leading bantams, piled up a long lead from the fourth to the eighth with a two-fisted tattoo of Armstrong's middle. There was no question of the verdict though Armstrong came back strong in the last two rounds.

Canadian Athletes Busy Aboard Ship

Cage Squads To Battle Tonight

Featured by the battle between Hoyle-Brown and West Road, highly-rated senior B men's squads, three cage fights will be presented this evening at the High School gym by the Victoria and District Basketball League. The show will open at 7.15 with Jack Taylor's Cardinals and Walter Yeamans' Unities meeting. The second game will bring together Canadian Scottish and Crescent, intermediate A boys' squads.

Entertainments and Training Routine-Keep Games Team Active on Trip

VANCOUVER—The Canadian team of the British Empire Games in Australia was nearing the end of a fortnight on ship-board today as their liner, the R.M.S. Aorangi, proceeded towards Suva.

The first week at sea gave the 78 athletes a chance to get acquainted according to a letter written to the Canadian Press from Honolulu by M. M. "Bobby" Robinson of Burlington, Ont. The team's general manager, writing December 29, said "it is a happy family that looks toward the eight-day jump to Suva, where training ashore will again be popular." The team sailed from Victoria after midnight December 22.

"Of course on a trip like this," wrote Mr. Robinson, "the troops develop their pets and to say that Kenny Jaggard, the 14-year-old Vancouver coxswain, is the pet of the family is putting it mildly. Kenny is the baby of the party. Christmas morning he was paraded for inspection and again reprimanded for failure to shave. In the meantime he is developing into an autograph hound and his well-filled book will be the envy of his school mates when he returns."

The first two days saw half the team down with seasickness due to rough seas, Robinson said. "But on Christmas morning all were up. Church service in the morning, deck games in the afternoon, formed a prelude to a hilarious dinner—the team sitting down to a gigantic meal with a menu of 71 items. The evening was spent in dancing, the team being allowed to remain on deck until 11.30.

START TRAINING

"Next day the routine of training was instituted with the boxers and wrestlers working out in the ship's gym, the swimmers in the small, but useful swimming tank, and the others on the top deck."

"Light training only has been indulged in on the run to Honolulu, the weather having been anything but conducive to real work."

"Today, however, the civic officials of Honolulu co-operated by providing the Funahou track and swimming pool, while the oarsmen were able to get the loan of a shell."

"A pleasing feature of the trip has been the conduct of the team members and the ship's officers and passengers have been warm in praise of the actions of the athletes. Regulations laid down have been faithfully regarded."

"With the exception of Christmas evening the rule of 'lights-out' at 10.30 has been religiously observed and with breakfast at 7.30 there has been no opportunity for loafing. The morning after leaving Victoria the many cases of equipment were broken open and uniforms issued with the result that the team in the maroon blazers has presented a very natty appearance."

HAWAIIAN CONCERT

"Tuesday evening, December 28, the members of the Honolulu rugby team who were on board en route home from an American tour, staged a typical Hawaiian concert. Unexpected talent was found among the Canadians. Tommy Walker (Toronto swimming coach), Scotty Rankine, Preston, Ont., distance runner and Jeannette Dolson, Toronto sprinter, contributed impromptu numbers."

"Christmas festivities were marked by cables from friends in Canada, and these were read to the team and were warmly received, especially the hearty message from Sir Edward Beatty, president of the British Empire Games Association of Canada."

"The team, traveling cabin class, has been granted the freedom of the ship and Captain T. (Turn to Page 15, Col. 2)

HOLD CAFEMEN TO STALEMATE

Cotton Stars as Liberty Cafe and Nelson's Garage Draw in Table Tennis

Defeating Lawrie Greenwood 21-11, 21-18 and then ousting Vic Tully, city champion, from the tables, 21-19, 17-21, Bill Cotton, city junior titleholder, provided the scoring punch as Louis Nelson's Garage held the Liberty Cafe to a draw last night in a Victoria Table Tennis Association clash.

As the cafemen were stalemated at 5 all, Pioneer Fruit defeated the Royal Arcanum 6 to 4, the highlight of which was the defeat of Wilmot Browne-Cave, club champion, by Peter Lou Poy, Chinese star. The scores were 18-21, 21-15, 21-19.

Mount Douglas whipped the Melrose 7 to 3 and the Bluebirds defeated the Musketeers by a similar score. Opening games in the second half race this evening will be played by 16 squads in two sections of the second division.

Complete scores follow:

Louis Nelson's Garage—Cotton 2, Craven 1, Greensmith 0, Walker 0, Walker 0, Craven 1, Cotton and Greensmith 1-1.
Liberty Cafe—Greenwood 0, Tully 1, Jarvis 2, Lynch 2, Greenwood and Jarvis 0, Tully and Lynch 0.
Pioneer Fruit—By Lowe 1, Peter Lou Poy 2, G. Lowe 1, D. Sam 1, H. and G. Lowe 0, D. Sam and P. Lou Poy 1.
Royal Arcanum—W. Browne-Cave 1, B. Crombie 0, D. McCune 2, Robinson 0, Browne-Cave and Crombie 1, McCune and Robinson 0.
Mount Douglas—Renfrew 2, Minnie 0, Taylor 2, Luker 1, Renfrew and Taylor 1, Luker and Minnie 1.
Bluebirds—Browne-Ewerth 1, Mason 2, Horne 1, Rose 2, Ewerth and Mason 1, Horne and Rose 0.
Musketeers—Martin 0, Henry 1, Dawson 0, Taylor 1, Martin and Dawson 0, Henry and Taylor 1.

Pro Ice Squads Play at Vernon

VANCOUVER—All set to treat Okanagan sport fans to a nice dish of professional hockey, Vancouver Lions, Pacific Coast League leaders, leave here this evening over the Canadian National Railways for Vernon, where they will play an exhibition game with Spokane Clippers.

A rousing welcome awaits the players as their engagement tomorrow evening is the main attraction of inauguration ceremonies planned for the opening of Vernon's new artificial ice arena accommodating 3,800 persons.

Juvenile Soccer

Juvenile soccer matches scheduled Saturday are as follows:
UNDER FOURTEEN
Burnside vs. Esquimalt Meat Market, Hampton Road, Referee, J. Cosier.

Oak Bay Ramblers vs. St. Louis College, Oak Bay Park, Referee, F. Wells.

UNDER FIFTEEN
Victoria Athletic Club vs. Oak Bay Rovers, Royal Athletic Park, Referee, E. Borde.

UNDER SIXTEEN
Esquimalt Meat Market vs. Fairfield Bluebirds, Bullen Park, Referee, B. Sloan.
Kick-offs at 10.30 o'clock.

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Arson Hearing Nearing Close

Actions of Llewellyn Overton
On Day of Fire Described

Hearing of the arson charge against Llewellyn Overton was continued in the Esquimalt Police Court yesterday when the court heard of events which occurred at the accused's home at 1131 Munro Street on the morning of September 19, last year, the day of the fire upon which the charge is based.

Twelve more prosecution witnesses were heard after which the case was remanded until next Monday afternoon at 2.

Mrs. Mabel Lambert, her husband, Joseph Lambert, and their son, George, neighbors of Overton's, gave evidence of having seen him on the morning of September 19.

Joseph Lambert testified the accused had burned a large quantity of rubbish in his furnace during the morning but he had not noticed anything unusual about his actions.

George Lambert said he had kindled a fire for the accused and had assisted him burning rubbish for about two hours. The boy said there was still rubbish remaining when he left and the furnace fire was still burning. He said at 1 o'clock he went to the accused's garage and had seen there a coal oil can.

FURNITURE MOVED

Mrs. Lambert gave evidence of furniture which had been moved from Overton's house on September 15, the day after he had completed payment of increased insurance policies on house and contents. The articles removed had included a piano, pictures, rugs, linen, a vacuum cleaner and a washing machine. These were all moved to a Mrs. Yates' home on Wildwood Avenue.

On September 19, Mrs. Lambert said she and her family were to go with the accused to spend the day at Mrs. Yates' home for a house-warming. Questioned by G. H. Sedger, prosecutor, she said Overton had not taken a direct route to Wildwood Avenue.

Frederick Pick, Esquimalt fire truck driver, said the call to the Overton fire was received at 2:50 on the afternoon of September 19. Raymond Hatfield, a nearby neighbor, testified he had seen smoke issuing from the premises at 2:45 and on going over had found all ground floor doors and windows locked.

Constable Gilbert Stancombe gave evidence of having attended the fire and said there had been a strong blaze burning under steps leading from the furnace room to the hall. A later examination had proved the fire did not come from the furnace, he said. He produced a coal oil can which he testified he found almost empty in the basement.

The constable said he had not smelled any trace of burning coal oil when the fire was in progress. At the close of the hearing yesterday, R. C. Lowe, defence counsel, indicated he would move for

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Now listen, mister, my husband is a salesman, too, and I've tried for two years to get him an appointment with the boss."

dismissal of the case when the preliminary hearing was completed.

A remand to next Monday was also granted in the second charge of arson which alleges the accused attempted to burn his house on September 20.

Active Year For Young Liberals

Vacancies in the executive of the Victoria Twentieth Century Young Liberal's Association were filled at a meeting last night in Liberal headquarters.

Robert Osselson was named vice-president by acclamation and Miss Vera Edwards and Bert Henry were selected by ballot to posts on the board. The resignation of Albert Corby from the executive committee was accepted.

An active programme for the coming year was discussed. It was proposed to strengthen the debating group and send a team to Vancouver, to form an orchestra, hold dances at regular intervals to raise funds, to secure grounds for softball games, to arrange amateur night programmes and to form a dramatic group for production of short plays. Arrangements were made for submitting periodical financial reports to the members. Stanley Tannock presided.

STRAWBERRY VALE

The W.M.S. auxiliary of Wilkenson Road United Church held their first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. G. Jones, Carey Road. Mrs. J. Edge, vice-president, presided. Mrs. W. P. Brown gave an address dealing with Christian responsibility during world unrest at home and abroad. The study-book, "A New Church in a New World," was introduced by Mrs. J. Hoy. A solo was rendered by Mrs. G. Jones, after which departmental reports were presented by the following secretaries, Mrs. W. Allan, Mrs. J. Edge and Mrs. G. Jones.

Mrs. Milton gave intimate glimpses of prevailing hardship experienced throughout the drought areas of the prairie. Reports were received from Mrs. D. W. Phillips and Mrs. G. Jones. Messdames Hoy and H. S. Pringle were elected delegates to the forthcoming branch meeting. Arrangements were made for the next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Hoy, Wellington Road.

Veterans Earned More Than \$90,000

VANCOUVER (CP)—According to a report issued by the Vancouver honorary committee of the Veterans' Assistance Commission, returned men in Vancouver earned over \$90,000 in the 11 months which ended December 24, 1937.

During the 11 month period, 289 men were given permanent and semi-permanent positions, 33 were given probationary training and 200 found casual employment, the report said.

Forty-five Men Sent to Oakalla

VANCOUVER (CP)—Thirty of the 45 single unemployed men arrested by city police Monday on charges of obstructing police by soliciting money on downtown streets were convicted by Magistrate H. S. Wood in police court Tuesday and remanded till January 11 for sentence.

They will be sent to the Oakalla jail, where they will join the other 15 who appeared in court Monday and were remanded till January 11 for trial.

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Who is going to look after the public interests if buses are to be the sole means of transportation? Who? If the B.C. Electric does not wish to carry on with the car system ought not Victoria to look into it and see if they cannot make some return for the taxpayer other cities have done so with success. When the franchise expires the city must take over the Goldstream power plant. What about the millions of gallons of water that can be used for electric transportation or light? Is this to go to waste while we buy gasoline and make the public spend their spare cash in headache and stomach remedies?

Let us stick to our electric system and have a healthy city and use our home products.

E. MACLAUGHLIN
3072 Admirals Road.

THAT CAMP WALKOUT

To the Editor:—In reference to statements made by your paper concerning F.D.P. 16—troubles you stated: "Today a majority vote of the men agreed to ejection of the union organizers and return of the cook."

What actually happened was two investigators came down and fired our chairman and grievance committee. There was no vote taken and 60 of the boys were willing to go down the road with them, but were advised by them that it would be wiser to stay; also, 80 per cent of the men are still dissatisfied with the cook.

A. O'LESON,
Acting Secretary of Union,
F.D.P. 16, Parksville, B.C.

THE ST. ANDREW'S DAY BROADCAST

To the Editor:—In a recent letter on the above subject, the writer seemed to take great exception to the St. Andrew's Day broadcast over station CBR, November 30. I happened to listen to that broadcast and enjoyed it immensely. The speaker of the evening was exceptionally good and very witty. That anyone could find fault with him passes my comprehension. However, I know from experience that there are some people who, because they do not happen to be Scotch, think that the Scots are a crabby lot. Well, that just shows their grass ignorance.

Your correspondent remarks that the speaker was forever lauding Robert Burns, and that every time he did so was reminded of Franz Schubert. What on earth Franz Schubert has to do with Robby Burns I cannot possibly imagine. They lived centuries apart. Speaking of "lauding" anyone, the English laud St. George, and by the way, did he really kill a dragon? I would suggest to your correspondent that he (or she) learn the virtue of toleration. The Scot has every bit as much right to celebrate St. Andrew's Day as the English have St. George's. Live and let live is my motto.

W. E. PERRY.
1048 Lyall Street.

"THIS CENSORED COUNTRY"

To the Editor:—Mr. M. Allen's letter, "This Censored Country," draws attention to a question of considerable importance to the people of Canada. I have been informed on extremely good authority that the reason the book he mentions ("C.I.O.—Industrial Unionism in Action") is not allowed to enter Canada is on account of the opposition of Quebec to industrial unionism in general, and the C.I.O. in particular. (The church there favors the corporate system of labor unionism).

On political grounds I have no hesitation in saying that it is a scandalous state of affairs that any group should be allowed to dictate to Canadians what they may and what they may not read.

There are said to be over 2,000 books, periodicals and newspapers that are not allowed to enter Canada. It would be interesting to know what proportion of these are excluded as a result of political pressure brought to bear by Quebec.

J. H. TOYNEBEE.

LOOK AT CHINA AND SPAIN

To the Editor:—Before answering Mr. McNeil's letter, I obediently re-read the article in The Reader's Digest he referred to.

MEN WHO FEEL OLD

Get Back New Youth,
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Too many men to-day feel tired out all the time—can't work, hate to get up mornings, haven't the vitality to do the things they used to do. A weak unhealthy liver caused by modern living, soft foods, lack of exercise, is the chief reason. Your liver is the storehouse for glucose or the "energy part" of the food you eat—it supplies energy to muscles, tissues and glands. If it is not strong and active so wonder you feel old! Take "Fruit-A-Tives," it will build up your liver like nothing else will. You'll be surprised how young you soon feel. 25c, 50c, all Druggists.

FRUIT-A-TIVES LIVER TABLETS

Lincoln-Zephyr Pioneers New Styling



Top photo—The 1938 Lincoln-Zephyr Sedan with four doors. Inset—Roomy new driver compartment.

A fresh approach in the development of the modern streamline design is offered in the new 1938 Lincoln-Zephyr V-12 cylinder motor cars, now on display in the showrooms at the National Motor Co. Ltd., 819 Yates Street. The sedan with four doors is pictured above. The "tear drop" front end suggests the highly streamlined front of a racing plane. The "air stream" treatment is carried out smartly in the long sweep of the hood, the rakish tilt of the windshield, the graceful body contours and the new massive fenders and lamps. Inset, the front compartment which has been enlarged and the gear-shifting lever moved out of the way of driver and front seat passengers. Among the new engineering features are an increased wheel-base length, now 125 inches, and the use of hypoid drive in the rear axle. The 110 horsepower V-type 12-cylinder engine operates more quietly, yields a smoother flow of power and functions with maximum economy.

I'm sorry to say that I know no more about Communism now than in the beginning, and I can't figure out why the professor joined nor why he quit. But, most of all, I can't see what this particular article has to do with my letter, the subject of which was the League for Peace and Democracy.

I disagreed with Mr. Neil Butler, who stated that the League for Peace and Democracy



was communistic. I also tried to point out that when an individual or a whole group make an announcement that their sole purpose is to fight communism, the result invariably is wholesale destruction of life and property and complete crushing of liberty. For example, I pointed to Japan's activity in China. Japan is destroying China and the Chinese people in order to combat communism in that country.

Spain is another example. When Mr. McLeod of the League for Peace and Democracy came back from Spain and lectured here, he said that the Spanish government is similar to our own Liberal government here. In support of the Liberal government were the Catholics, the Protestants and the communists; in fact, all the Spanish people except the fascists. And yet it was the fascists who belittled so loudly

about their patriotism and their loyalty!

Of what use are words? Their deeds damn them. Look at what Franco (the modern Judas) has done to Spain: He could not get the support of the Spanish people so he brought in Moors, Italians and Germans, with the promise to divide the booty when the slaughter is over.

Every country has its modern Judases who shout the accusing word "Communist" at others while they themselves stand ready to sell their country for 30 pieces of silver.

So when I read in the papers that the Youth's Citizens League's sole aim was combating communism I thought of Franco's aim in Spain, and of Japan's aim in China, a chill of fear and horror went through me.

I agree with Mr. McNeil that neither communism nor fascism is democratic—we want neither. We want Peace and Democracy, and therefore I will defend and support the League for Peace and Democracy.

HETTIE HENNIGAN,
Island Highway.

Blind Man's Dog Is Given Pension

DES MOINES (AP)—The State of Iowa is allowing a blind pensioner \$2 a month support money for his dog.

Mrs. Bessie Regel, director of the state aid to the blind division, said one of 386 pension-checks included a \$2 allowance for the "eyes" of a blind pensioner.

The identity of the elderly man was not disclosed.

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Second race—Six furlongs: Barcelona 120, Chany Ross 120, Apperford 120, Bononi 117, Jack Be Rumble 165, Spanish Lad 120, Sky o' Blue 115, No Name 113, Sir Windsor 120, Viewport 118, Kazzan 120, Coward 120.

Third race—One mile: Orderly 119, Quiblet 112, Seed 108, Puddin 113, Jean Cloud 110, Who's There 105, Big Breckoning 108.

TOWN TOPICS

Junior Conservatives will meet tomorrow evening at 8 in the Campbell Building. A social will follow the business meeting.

Bail of \$5,000 on two sureties was set for George L. Bone by Mr. Justice Robertson in Supreme Court chambers yesterday. Defendant is standing trial on a charge of manslaughter arising out of an automobile fatality.

The Victoria Welsh Society will hold the annual Christmas treat for the children in the Women's Institute Hall, 635 Fort Street, on Friday. Supper will be served at 6.30. A fine programme has been arranged.

A brown butterfly with purple and cream coloring on its wings has taken up its residence at the home of Mrs. A. M. D. Fairbairn, Joan Crescent. Mrs. Fairbairn reported this morning the insect appeared on Monday, probably having made its entrance with some firewood, and the heat of the house brought it out of its coma.

Miss Mary Loudoun, newly-elected president of the First United Young People's Society, presided at the first meeting of the year Monday. After a devotional period, led by Miss Winnie Graham, on the theme "New Ideals," an interesting talk on photography was given by Alec Craigmyle. Refreshments were served.

The period of freedom from any serious infectious disease in the city appeared today to have reached record duration as city officials scanned books of the health department. No city case has been treated in the Isolation Hospital since August 4, when a single invalid was discharged. That case was the only one recorded since April 24 in the Isolation unit.

Studies in lettering display and poster work will be resumed on Thursday evening at 7.30 at Victoria High School. Work in the second period will cover the application of studies given in the first period, including modern alphabets, brush and color practice in drawing and design as applied to interior and exterior advertising art, with special reference to the individual desires of the student.

Henry F. Jarvis was re-elected president of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association at the annual meeting yesterday. The executive of the association, named at the meeting, follows: Honorary presidents, Magistrate H. C. Hall and Chief Thomas Heatley; president, H. F. Jarvis; first vice-president, Maurice Wilkinson; second vice-president, Samuel McKenzie; treasurer, George Claydars; secretary, Stanley Holmes; and auditors, George Varney and David Donaldson.

During the first two days the City Hall has been open this year, a total of \$88,734.63 has been collected in prepaid taxes, officials of the city assessor-collector's department reported today. The figure was somewhat lower than that of the first two days' collections last year when the total was \$94,933.47, but still represented a healthy trend on the part of taxpayers to meet their levies in advance in order to enjoy the interest allowance made for prepayments. Of the total 1938 taxes paid up to yesterday, approximately \$11,000 was collected prior to the end of the year.

Trustees Will Name Chairman

P. E. George Expected to Take Over Post; Committee Heads to Be Selected

Appointment of a chairman and naming of committee heads will feature tonight's meeting of the city school board, it was learned at the board offices today.

It was generally understood that Trustee Percy George, senior member of the present board, who has been acting chairman since the retirement of W. C. Moresby, K.C., would be elevated to the post of chairman. He, with Trustees Walter Staneland and John Wallace, are the only members on the board with previous experience in school work. Trustee Staneland is expected to nominate Trustee George for the position.

In addition the board will appoint chairmen of the finance, building and grounds and education committees, the members of which last year included the board as a whole.

Discussion will probably be given to methods by which equipment needed under the present curriculum may be secured.

The question of revision of teachers' salaries will most likely be tabled until another

Back To School and Laughing About It



Children throughout Greater Victoria returned to their studies yesterday after the Christmas holidays. In the above picture a group of boys at Victoria High School are shown in good spirits just before they went in to face their teachers again.

GARDEN CLUB RETURNS HEAD

P. R. Leighton Re-elected President of Horticultural Society

A drive for an increased membership and budget was forecast in the speech of P. R. Leighton, re-elected president of the Victoria Horticultural Society.

Mr. Leighton was returned with D. D. McTavish, secretary-treasurer, at the annual meeting of the society, which was held in the City Hall yesterday evening. Alexander Main was made vice-president by acclamation.

The following were elected members of the executive committee: V. W. Ahlers, R. Battison, F. E. Boulter, A. R. Harness, A. Mitchell, A. E. Powell, H. O. Simpson and T. Wardell. Two further members of the executive are to be elected by the Women's Auxiliary of the society.

E. M. Whyte and A. R. Sher-



P. R. LEIGHTON

wood volunteered to act as auditors.

The society had 325 paid-up members, Mr. Leighton said in making his president's report for the past year.

More revenue would have to be found if the organization was to continue to give service to amateur gardeners in the city, he said, and asked the incoming executive to give early attention to this matter.

Mr. Leighton declared the society was doing a valuable service to the community and helping in a large way to maintain Victoria's reputation as being a "city beautiful."

A review of the year's work was presented by Mr. McTavish in his secretary-treasurer's report which showed the finances of the society to be in a satisfactory condition.

Mrs. R. W. Hetherington presented the annual report of the Women's Auxiliary.

The thanks of the society were tendered to H. Whiteoak for his monthly notes provided each member, and his membership in the Royal Horticultural Society will be renewed. Thanks for past services were also tendered to George Atwood coupled with a notice of motion that he be made a life member of the society.

At the conclusion of business, Mr. Leighton presented A. R. Harness with the Banksian Medal. Mr. Harness was the 1937 winner with the highest aggregate of points at all three summer shows of the society.

The Columbia River, on which Grand Coulee Dam is being built, is regarded as the greatest potential source of power among North American rivers.

special meeting a week tonight.

The city schools escaped any serious outbreak of contagious disease following the Christmas vacation, a survey by the school nurse disclosed. Only eight cases were reported, three of chicken pox and five of whooping cough.

OBITUARIES

FRANCES I. BLYTHE

St. Mary's Church, Metochin, was filled with sorrowing friends yesterday afternoon for the funeral of Miss Frances Isabel Blythe. Rev. H. M. Bolton officiated, and the hymns sung were "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me." A profusion of beautiful floral tributes were received. The honorary pallbearers, all members of the Women's Auxiliary, were Mrs. H. M. Bolton, Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Clapham, Miss Gemwill and Miss Chegwain. The active pallbearers were H. S. Jordan, F. F. Frude, Jack James, John Smart, R. Matthews and G. F. Weir. The remains were laid at rest in St. Mary's Churchyard.

WALTER T. GALE

Funeral services for Walter T. Gale will be conducted in Sands Mortuary Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2. Rev. Alan Gardiner will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

JOHN O'NEILL

In the presence of relatives and many friends, the funeral of John O'Neill took place yesterday afternoon from Sands Mortuary. John Stewart conducted the services, during which the congregational hymns sung were "Hold the Fort" and "Eaton," and the closing prayer was offered by David Donaldson. Beautiful floral offerings surrounded the casket. E. Simmons, Eric Goddard, Thomas O'Neill, Edward O'Neill, Victor Raines and John W. Hawthorne acted as pallbearers. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park.

ELIZABETH McKERNES

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth C. McKernes took place yesterday afternoon from Sands Mortuary. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse conducted the service, during which Mrs. S. M. Morton rendered the solo, "Gone Home." The congregational hymn sung was "Peace, Perfect Peace." George Wiper, E. Kerr, N. Palmer and A. Griffiths acted as pallbearers. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park.

JOHN HAGUE BOSUSTOW

John Hague Bosustow, aged 93 years, passed away yesterday in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, after a short illness. He was born at sea near Constantinople, and came to Canada 50 years ago, residing in this city for the last 30 years. For many years he was a real estate agent in the city. He is survived by two sons, Charles and S. H. Bosustow, both in Victoria; one daughter, Mrs. James Ure, Hollywood, Cal.; seven grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at Haywards's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Friday afternoon at 2. Rev. A. deB. Owen officiating. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WILLIAM HARVEY

There passed away this morning, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, William Harvey, of 628 Pembroke Street, aged 56 years. He was born at County Antrim, Ireland, and had resided in this city for 30 years.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. James Rice, at 212 Simcoe Street; Miss Annie Harvey, and one brother, Thomas Harvey, in Belfast, Ireland.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 from S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. The remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

LOUISA D. GREEN

Many sympathizing friends attended funeral services held yesterday afternoon at the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home for Mrs. Louisa Dorothy Green.

Many beautiful floral tributes were received. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery, and the following acted as pallbearers: J. R. Palmer, E. S. Lomas, F. Plummer, G. W. Johnston, M. L. Douglas and H. E. White.

HUDSON'S BAY HEADS HERE

George W. Allan and P. A. Chester Among Group From Western Canada

George W. Allan, B.A., K.C., one of Canada's leading businessmen, who frequently comes to Victoria on vacation, is in the city today on business.

He is presiding at a meeting of executives and store managers of the Hudson's Bay Company, of which he is chairman of the Canadian committee.

The delegates to the convention reached the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon and went into conference at the local store of the Hudson's Bay Company this morning. The meetings will last until the end of the week.

P. A. Chester of Winnipeg, general manager in Canada for the company, flew over to Victoria from Vancouver yesterday afternoon. Other delegates arrived by Ss. Princess Marguerite and were met on the dock by A. J. Watson, manager of the local store.

Outside of a few golf games and one or two private luncheons and dinner engagements with local friends, the group now meeting here will adhere strictly to business.

AT CONVENTION

In addition to Mr. Allan and Mr. Chester, the executives in Victoria at present are R. J. Goulay and H. B. Lyall, Winnipeg, members of the Canadian committee; F. F. Martin, general manager of retail stores; G. F. Klein, general manager of the Winnipeg store; N. Douglas, manager of the Calgary store; J. K. Hill, manager of the Edmonton store; A. J. Gilbert, mercantile manager at Winnipeg; C. N. Chubb, mercantile manager at Saskatoon; R. E. S. Standfield, mercantile manager at Vancouver; J. C. Pratt, mercantile manager at Calgary; W. P. Barrett, manager of the company's smaller stores; Douglas MacKay, editor of The Beaver, the company's publication; George Lawrence, controller of retail stores, and Col. L. F. Pearce of Winnipeg, who has charge of buildings.

Mr. Allan is a member of the Union Club and the Victoria Golf Club and says he feels as much at home in Victoria as in Winnipeg. He usually spends a few weeks here each winter. He must cut short his stay this time, however, as he has a business appointment in Toronto early next week.

In addition to his Hudson's Bay Company duties, Mr. Allan is actively interested in many large Canadian concerns. He is president of the Great West Life Assurance Company and a director of the Canadian Bank of Commerce and the Lake of the Woods Milling Company.

Now in his 78th year, Mr. Allan has had a varied career. For four years, from 1917 to 1921, he sat in the House of Commons at Ottawa as representative of Winnipeg South.

Liberal Organizer In Victoria Today

Norman P. Lambert, president of the National Liberal Federation, arrived in Victoria this morning on a brief visit. He expects to leave again tonight for Vancouver, en route to his headquarters in Ottawa.

Mr. Lambert intended to come to Victoria at the time of the recent by-election. His plans were changed, however, and he was unable to come west with Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Minister of National Defence.

He expressed delight at the return of a Liberal from Victoria for the first time in many years and called on R. W. Mayhew, M.P.-elect, to personally offer

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congratulations. He also visited other prominent Liberals in Victoria.

Mr. Lambert earlier in his life was actively engaged in journalism and was a reporter on The Toronto Globe, later going to the prairies.

ORGANIZING DEPARTMENT

But Appointments to New Provincial Branch Not For Some Weeks Yet

Organization of the new provincial Department of Trade and Industry will require some weeks yet, Hon. W. J. Asselstine, the minister, said today.

Mr. Asselstine intimated appointments to the deputy minister and the various bureau directors provided for in the new department probably will not be made until near the end of this month.

Since assuming his new office last week the minister has held conferences with the various executives in the branches coming under the new department. He is making himself thoroughly familiar with all aspects before proceeding with definite organization.

The act setting up the department provides for appointment of a Director of Economics and Statistics, a Director of Trade Extension and a Director of Industrial and Tourist Development. It also allows for a special tourist council of seven, including four civil servants and others from organized tourist promotion bodies.

In the main the new department combines the existing Provincial Research Bureau, Bureau of Provincial Information, Department of Industries, and the trade extension branch.

Mr. Asselstine said he hoped to make the new department an effective means of developing new business for the province. To this end he was studying the new set up carefully.

The new minister attended his first meeting of the executive council yesterday.

O.C. FOOTBALL

LONDON—Old Country soccer and rugby games today resulted as follows:

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Abroath 1, Partick Thistle 1.

RUGBY UNION

Sussex 17, Hampshire 18 (at Worthing.)

RUGBY LEAGUE

Batley 3, Leeds 0.

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THE GREAT AGA

Fined \$13 For Breaking Glass

Walter Inward was fined \$13 by Magistrate Henry Hall in the City Police Court this morning on a charge of wilfully damaging property as a result of his breaking four panes in a window at the City Hall.

Yesterday he pleaded guilty to the charge, and was remanded until today for sentence. Magistrate Hall said he had given the matter careful consideration, and would fine the accused the amount of the damage, \$8, and \$5 for the offence. He imposed an option of five days in default of payment.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIED

SALSBURY—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on January 3, 1938, William Permain Salsbury of Hillcrest, Gordon Head, aged 91 years; born in England and a resident of this province for 52 years.

The remains will be forwarded on Thursday night's boat to Vancouver, where services will take place and interment made. Haywards's B.C. Funeral Co., directors.

BOSUSTOW—On January 4, 1938, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, John Hague Bosustow, aged 93 years; born at sea, near Constantinople, came to Canada about 50 years ago and had been a resident of this province for 30 years.

He is survived by two sons, Charles and S. H. Bosustow, both in Victoria; one daughter, Mrs. James Ure, Hollywood, Cal.; seven grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

The remains are resting in Haywards's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where funeral services will be held on Friday at 2 p.m. Rev. A. deB. Owen officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

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CANADIAN ATHLETES

BUSY ABOARD SHIP

(Continued from Page 11)

V. Hill and his officers have co-operated to the utmost.

"The gymnasium equipment has been severely punished and a new punching bag and other bits of equipment were secured in Honolulu.

"Captain Hill is a wrestling fan and is carefully working up a bout between chief officer Turner and Terry Evans, British Empire Champion, Toronto middleweight. This fellow Turner is a solid determined-looking customer, and the captain holds a pretty good opinion of him. The indications are that a real bout is in the offing.

"The arrival of the boat at Honolulu was marked by the typical Hawaiian reception, including the ceremony of placing the lei over the shoulders of the visitors. Lynda Adams, the Vancouver diver, was the first to be favored."

BOSTON AND DETROIT IN SMART HOCKEY WINS

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bucky, 3.19. Penalties, Keeling, Anderson, H. Smith, Pratt.

Overtime period—None. Penalties: None.

First period—None. Penalties: Joliat, McDonald.

Second period—1, Detroit, Sorrel (Barry, Aurie), 19.23. Penalties: None.

Third period—2, Detroit, Beattie (Kilrea, Howe), 13.03; 3, Detroit, Aurie (Sorrell, Barry), 17.23. Penalty: Siebert.

HUMILIATION SUICIDE

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Arrest on a charge of theft was too much for the pride of M. Kimoto, 49, a Japanese. He was found hanging in his room in a Montebello hotel. "Humiliated—please excuse," read a note which Police Chief L. B. Maxwell said the man, at liberty on bond, left in his room.

Mental strain, night clubs, the cocktail habit and excessive smoking are four of the reasons given for the increase in the number of persons suffering from heart disease.

TENDERS

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT"

Section 100. IN THE MATTER OF LOT 15, BLOCK "B" Finlayson Estate, Victoria City

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificates of Title No. 21461-C to the above-mentioned land in the name of Christina Annie Victoria Robertson and bearing date of the 7th day of October, 1909, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said Christina Annie Victoria Robertson a Duplicate Certificate of Absolute Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

ANY PERSON having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED this 22nd day of December, 1937, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

H. J. CRANE, Registrar, Victoria Land Registration District.

HOCKEY LEADERS

Aiding in two plays as Detroit broke its long slump by defeating Canadiens 3 to 0, Marty Barry entered the National Hockey League's group of scoring leaders last night.

Gordon Drillon of Toronto held first place by scoring against Boston, while Cecil Dillon of Rangers and Harvey Jackson of Toronto kept up the pace in second position with single points.

Nels Stewart and Sweeney Schriener of Americans stepped along with the parade with two and one points respectively against Rangers.

The leaders follow:

G. A. Pts.

Drillon, Toronto 12 13 25

Dillon, Rangers 10 10 20

Jackson, Toronto 10 10 20

Stewart, Americans 10 9 19

Apps, Toronto 7 12 19

Schriener, Americans 12 6 18

Barry, Detroit 7 11 18

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Copywriters won three.

The first streamlined steam locomotives used by the Victoria Railways of Australia covers a 200-mile run over heavy grades in 3 1/2 hours.

Attractive glass molds that fit into an aluminum tray have been invented for freezing desserts in refrigerators and serving without removal from the molds.

London Police Rule Changed

LONDON (CP-Havas)—The minimum required height of prospective recruits in the London Metropolitan police was reduced Tuesday from five feet nine inches to five feet eight inches. It was explained police work currently involves many tasks in which a good physique and intelligence are more necessary than an imposing stature.

WRESTLING

Albany, N.Y.—Steve (Crusher) Casey, 225, Ireland, threw Wee Willie Davis, 235, Virginia, two straight falls.

Indianapolis—Jim London, 205, New York, defeated big boy Davis 238, Columbus, O., straight falls.

Minneapolis—Bronko Nagurski, 235, International Falls, Minn., and Ray Steele, 212, Glendale, Calif., drew.

BOXING

New York—Andre Jsserun, 150 1/2, New York, outpointed Frank Cinque, 141 1/2, New York (8).

Fred Astaire as Chorister



The many misadventures of Fred Astaire in his RKO Radio starring musical comedy, "A Damsel in Distress," now being shown at the Capitol Theatre, brings him into an English castle in search of a sweetheart. He crashes a week-end party by posing as one of a group who have come to sing madrigals. Fred carols as though his heart would break, George Burns and Gracie Allen share the hilarity spotlight, with the late George Gershwin contributing a sparkling, tuneful score for Astaire's quintette of whirlwind dance routines. Joan Fontaine has the romantic lead.

ASTAIRE IN CAPITOL FILM

"A Damsel in Distress" One of Wodehouse's Funniest Stories

Proving that the source of true love doesn't run any smoother in England than elsewhere, Fred Astaire's new vehicle for RKO Radio, with George Burns and Gracie Allen, "A Damsel in Distress," now being shown at the Capitol, weaves a sparkling group of Gershwin songs and one of P. G. Wodehouse's funniest stories of British life into a brilliant piece of screen entertainment.

The story revolves around a merry romance between Astaire, in the role of a dancer in London, and Joan Fontaine, as a titled girl who is being driven into an unwelcome marriage by her aunt. Through the backstairs politics of the servants at Miss Fontaine's ancestral castle, Astaire is led to believe that the girl is in love with him, and the complications build up to peaks of hilarity, interspersed with tuneful songs by the late George Gershwin and his brother Ira, and five spectacular dance numbers that reveal Astaire at his delightful best.

Burns and Allen play a pair of press agents guiding Astaire's stage career, and such notables as Reginald Gardiner, Constance Collier, Ray Noble, Montagu Love, Harry Watson and Jack Carson have prominent roles in the gay offering. A remarkable castle setting forms the background for much of the picture's action.

Based on one of the best-known of the famous Wodehouse stories of English country life, the film was directed by George Stevens.

Where to Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—"The Firefly," with Jeanette MacDonald.

CAPITOL—"A Damsel in Distress," with Fred Astaire.

COLUMBIA—Eleanor Powell in "Born to Dance."

DOMINION—"Charlie Chan at Monte Carlo," with Warner Oland.

OAK BAY—"Internes Can't Take Money," starring Barbara Stanwyck.

PLAZA—Greta Garbo in "Camille."

Barbara Stanwyck As Stella Dallas

The Samuel Goldwyn production of "Stella Dallas," with Barbara Stanwyck in the title role, the next attraction at the Plaza Theatre, beginning Monday, is a tense drama of a mother who sacrifices her own right to happiness for the sake of her daughter. It gives Miss Stanwyck the strongest role in her entire career and one which was coveted by every leading actress in Hollywood.

Co-starred with Miss Stanwyck is John Boles with a distinguished supporting cast, including Anne Shirley, Alan Hale, Barbara O'Neil, Al Shean of the famous team of Gallagher and Shean, and Tim Holt, son of Jack Holt.

"Stella Dallas" is without doubt one of the most poignant and gripping stories ever to be filmed.

"Double Wedding" Stars Myrna Loy

William Powell has survived all these years without a stooge, now he inherits one. He who parries William Powell's wisecracking with a "slow burn" is Edgar Kennedy, selected to portray, Spike, Italian restaurateur and Powell's crony in "Double Wedding," which opens at the Atlas Theatre tomorrow.

Powell, playing a penniless artist who lives in a raccoon coat and a trailer, falls in love with Myrna Loy for the seventh time in as many pictures.

Kennedy's supporting role is his first since his return to Hollywood from New York.

DOMINION THEATRE

"Charlie Chan at Monte Carlo," at the Dominion, presents the famous Earl Derr Biggers detective character in by far his most thrilling adventure—mystery drama to date. Warner Oland takes the leading role and is ably supported by Keye Luke, Virginia Field and Sidney Blackmer.

The story deals with a feud between two tycoons of finance and the disappearance of a shipment of valuable bonds, culminating in the murder of a chauffeur. How the redoubtable Charlie, with the aid of his son, solves the mystery provides one of the screen's greatest thrills.

On the same bill is a caravan of comedy with lavish backgrounds. It is called "Beg, Borrow or Steal," and features Frank Morgan, Florence Rice and John Boal.

PLAZA THEATRE

Those who have worked with Greta Garbo through the years and who worked with her in her latest motion picture, "Camille," which is now being shown at the Plaza Theatre, declare that she is happier and in better health than ever before in the past.

This metamorphosis of Garbo was evident in her daily conduct on the sound stages at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer where she and Robert Taylor played their love scenes in Alexandre Dumas (file) immortal romance under the direction of George Cukor.

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Pilots' Lookout

Ms. Elisabeth Bakke, Europe for Vancouver, passed William Head quarantine, 9 a.m.
Ss. Salawate passed out to sea from Vancouver, 5:20 a.m.
Montebello passed out to sea from Vancouver, 9:40 a.m.
Ss. Ontario arrived at Esquimalt from Iloilo for drydocking, 5 p.m. Tuesday.

C.P.R. ORDERS FREIGHT CARS

\$10,000,000 Equipment Programme Announced; New Locomotives

MONTREAL (CP)—Part of a \$10,000,000 equipment programme, covering different types of freight cars, was announced here today by Canadian Pacific Railway.

Tenders have been called, officials said, for 2,000 40-ton steel-sheathed box cars, 200 twin-hopper cars of 100,000 pounds capacity, 200 41-foot eight-inch steel underframe cars, 200 46-foot flat cars and 100 low-side drop-end gondola cars of 150,000 pounds capacity.

In addition to the \$10,000,000 programme, tenders also had been called for 10 Hudson-type locomotives, with the possibility of similar orders later.

FOUR SHIPS LOAD FRUIT

Lochgail, Lochmonar, Drechtdyk and Narenta Take Apples and Pears

SEATTLE—Four ships in the joint service of the Royal Mail Lines and the Holland-America Line will load apples and pears in Seattle this month. The four "reefers" have a total capacity of 290,000 boxes of fruit and will fill their refrigerated space on the coast.

The vessels are the British motorship Loch Gail, due Friday; British motorship Loch Monar, due January 13; Dutch motorship Drechtdyk, due January 27, and British steamship Narenta, due January 31.

The schedule is one of the heaviest of this service in recent months.

The Loch Gail will load for Liverpool, London and Rotterdam; the Loch Monar for Liverpool, Glasgow, London and Rotterdam; the Drechtdyk for Liverpool, London and Rotterdam; and the Narenta for London, Southampton and Liverpool.

The Narenta, a fully refrigerated car, has space for 170,000 boxes of fruit and the other three vessels 40,000 boxes each.

Centaurus Is Now at Auckland

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (CP, Havas)—Imperial Airways flying boat Centaurus, on a 30,000-mile round-trip from England to New Zealand, left here for Auckland today.

Vancouver Shipping

VANCOUVER—Officers of the freighter Limerick said today they believed the ship suffered no serious damage when she grounded on the shoals near Prospect Point Sunday. The vessel, which anchored in English Bay after she was pulled off the foreshore, entered the harbor yesterday to discharge a cargo of sugar.

The Modavia of the Donaldson Line was due here today with fruit from California and manufactured goods from England.

The tugboat Foster reported yesterday she was aground on Mystery Reef, half-way between Savary and Harwood Islands, Strait of Georgia, but in no danger. Pacific Salvage Company sent the Moresby, the Queen and the Helega 2 to her aid.

TWO FLIERS KILLED

BARSTOW, Cal.—Two army fliers were killed when their airplane struck a power line near here yesterday, crashed and burned.

They were Second Lieut. Chas. Alfred Clancy, 25, pilot, of Riverside, and Victor L. Jost, 27, mechanic, Inglewood.

Dirigibles Will Resume Service

Sister Ship of Hindenburg to Fly Atlantic This Summer

NEW YORK (AP)—German airship service between Europe and the United States will be resumed in about five months with a sister ship of the zeppelin Hindenburg, which plummeted to earth in flames at Lakehurst, N.J., last May.

Inflated with non-inflammable helium instead of the hydrogen which buoyed up the Hindenburg, the new ship, the LZ-130, will have a schedule of 15 to 18 round trips at the rate of three a month, until autumn when seasonal operations will be terminated.

This announcement was made by Edward P. Farley, president of the American Zeppelin Transport Corporation, general United States agent for the German operators of the craft.

Farley reiterated a hope "necessary government support" would enable his company to embark on an American airship operating programme. It was understood plans called for the leasing of a larger dirigible, the LZ-131, now being built in Germany, by American interests.

U.S. Congress recently authorized export of helium, on which the United States holds a virtual world monopoly. Mined at Amarillo, Texas, 17,900,000 cubic feet of the gas will be shipped to Germany by freighter.

The LZ-130, dimensionally identical with the Hindenburg, is 804 feet long and has a helium capacity of 7,000,000 cubic feet. Its flying range is 7,000 miles. Because helium has less lifting power than hydrogen, the new ship will be able to carry only 40 passengers as against 70 accommodated by the Hindenburg.

The difference in lift between the two ships will be 17½ tons.

With cargoes of mail and freight, as well as passengers, zeppelins make the westward Atlantic crossing in about 60 hours and the eastward in 50 hours.

Planes Search Missing Flier

DAUPHIN, Man. (CP)—Airmen in three planes today swept over forest-covered slopes of Duck Mountain, eyes alert for a trace of Michael (Spud) Sawchyn, 22-year-old Sifton, Man., flier, missing for seven days in the bush country 200 miles northwest of Winnipeg.

Pilots were given specific territory at a conference of searchers last night and planned to search until noon before returning for refueling.

A report of smoke signals seen from Baldy Mountain in the Duck mountains proved to be smoke from a lumber mill in the woods.

Sawchyn left Souris last Wednesday afternoon to fly 125 miles to his home in Sifton in a home-made open-cockpit monoplane. He carried enough fuel for a three-hour flight but no food.

Ski Excursions To Mountains

VANCOUVER—First of several excursions to be operated this winter to Banff during the skiing season, Canadian Pacific Railway today announced a return bargain fare trip from the coast to the mountain playground for the week-end of January 27 to February 1.

The excursion applies from Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster, leaving the coast by train No. 2 at 10 a.m. or No. 4 at 7:15 p.m. Thursday, January 27, arriving Banff next day and carries a return limit to leave Banff not later than 1:45 a.m. Tuesday, February 1, for the coast.

Snow conditions at Norway, the new ski course built for the Canadian championship last March and within three miles of Banff, and the other favored ski terrains, Sunshine Valley and Skoki, are perfect for the sport. It is expected the excursion will attract a large number of winter sport enthusiasts from the Coast.

Tide Table

JANUARY

Date	Time	High	Time	Low	Time	High	Time	Low
Jan 5	7:25	8:41	1:50	7:14	8:23	2:21	3:10	6:0
Jan 6	7:30	8:47	1:55	7:19	8:28	2:26	3:15	6:5
Jan 7	7:35	8:52	2:00	7:24	8:33	2:31	3:20	6:10
Jan 8	7:40	8:57	2:05	7:29	8:38	2:36	3:25	6:15
Jan 9	7:45	9:02	2:10	7:34	8:43	2:41	3:30	6:20
Jan 10	7:50	9:07	2:15	7:39	8:48	2:46	3:35	6:25
Jan 11	7:55	9:12	2:20	7:44	8:53	2:51	3:40	6:30
Jan 12	8:00	9:17	2:25	7:49	8:58	2:56	3:45	6:35
Jan 13	8:05	9:22	2:30	7:54	9:03	3:01	3:50	6:40
Jan 14	8:10	9:27	2:35	7:59	9:08	3:06	3:55	6:45
Jan 15	8:15	9:32	2:40	8:04	9:13	3:11	4:00	6:50
Jan 16	8:20	9:37	2:45	8:09	9:18	3:16	4:05	6:55
Jan 17	8:25	9:42	2:50	8:14	9:23	3:21	4:10	7:00
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Jan 24	9:00	10:17	3:25	8:49	9:58	3:56	4:45	7:35
Jan 25	9:05	10:22	3:30	8:54	10:03	4:01	4:50	7:40
Jan 26	9:10	10:27	3:35	8:59	10:08	4:06	4:55	7:45
Jan 27	9:15	10:32	3:40	9:04	10:13	4:11	5:00	7:50
Jan 28	9:20	10:37	3:45	9:09	10:18	4:16	5:05	7:55
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CANADA FLIER MEETS DEATH

Pilot H. G. Clitheroe of R.A.F. Killed Flying in England

STOKE-ON-TRENT, Staffordshire (CP)—Acting pilot officer H. G. Clitheroe, 24, believed to be from Toronto, was killed today when he crashed near here.

Clitheroe, piloting a Royal Air Force training machine, made a direct entry to the R.A.F. from Canada last year and had been stationed at Ternhill airfield, near Market Drayton, Shropshire, being attached to the No. 10 flying training school.

The plane struck a tree. Clitheroe was the sole occupant.

Around the Docks

SALACIA IN TOUCH

On her second trip in the Donaldson Line United Kingdom-North Pacific coast service, the new Ms. Salacia, commanded by Capt. James Cook, was in radio range today.

She reported 3,000 miles out at 8 last night, steaming north from the canal zone.

After touch at Los Angeles and San Francisco the Salacia will come on to Victoria, arriving here January 19.

NOW AT ALBERNI

British Ss. Helmspey has arrived at Port Alberni to load lumber for the United Kingdom, British Columbia Shipping Agencies Limited report.

The freighter will complete her cargo at Chemainus and Crofton.

LIGHT PASSENGER LIST

Bringing in from Japan 1,940 tons of freight for Vancouver and overland delivery, Ms. Hiye Maru of the N.Y.K. fleet, is expected to reach William Head at 3 on Saturday morning, according to radio advices received by Harry Douglas, local agent.

The through freight includes 1,335 packages of raw silk and silk goods.

Hiye Maru has a light list of passengers this trip, there being four tourist and eight third class for Vancouver and one tourist and eight third for Seattle.

TANKER WORK STARTS

Underwater work was started by Yarrows Ltd. first thing this morning on Imperial Oil Company's twin-screw Diesel tanker Ontariolite in Esquimalt drydock. The vessel was floated in at 5 yesterday afternoon and the water had been pumped out of the basin by this morning, permitting the workmen to start scouring the hull plates.

Ontariolite is 470 feet long and occupies the two forward sections of the drydock.

When floated out toward the latter part of the week the tanker will go alongside the fitting-out wharf at Yarrows for machinery overhaul.

LOCHMONAR DUE

Ms. Lochmonar, Capt. A. Watts, is expected to reach Victoria for Royal Mail Lines Friday morning at 7, according to Adam P. Moffat, local agent.

The combined passenger and freight motorship has 110 tons of cargo for discharge at Victoria.

TO CALL AT SHANGHAI

R.M.S. Empress of Asia, Capt. George Gould, will sail from the Rithdocks Saturday evening with passengers and cargo for Orient ports.

She will be the first ship of the Canadian Pacific Steamships to resume the call at Shanghai. On arrival at Hongkong she will go into drydock for annual refit.

EXPECTED AT NANOOSE

Under charter to Yamashita Shipping Company, Ss. Yoshima Maru is due at Nanoose Bay this week-end to commence loading B.C. cargo for Japan.

She will shift from Nanoose to New Westminster and Vancouver to complete for Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

CORABELLA TO RETURN

Returning here to load lumber for the United Kingdom under charter to Canadian Transport Company, Ss. Corabella, which was here Christmas Eve to the Vancouver-St. Lawrence Line from Montreal, is expected at the Canadian National docks from Vancouver on Friday next.

As Two Died in Train's Dive



Puffing into the yards at Pittsburgh, a Pennsylvania passenger train struck a boulder which had rolled on to the tracks, leaped the rails and plunged 30 feet over the retaining wall shown at left to shatter into the wreckage pictured here. Engine, tender and diner went over the wall, killing Engineer Oscar E. Rhoads and Fireman William H. Strous.

FISHING ISSUE IN CALIFORNIA

Documentation Charges Affect Japanese-operated Boats

FISH HARBOR, Los Angeles (AP)—In this picturesque little cove of Los Angeles harbor, the only question about the "Japanese fishing situation" is whether there is any "situation."

Fish Harbor is the home of most of the Japanese fishermen operating in this area. It is also the site of large United States-owned canneries, which depend almost entirely on Japanese, Slavonian and Italian fishermen for their supplies, although Japanese are in the minority.

Recent seizures, however, of two Japanese-operated boats on illegal documentation charges and the perennial agitation over Japanese fishing off Alaska by boats from Japan—a different situation—have focused interest on California coastal operations. Another item is United States Senator R. S. Copeland's pending bill designed to eliminate alien-operated fishing boats from the coast trade.

In seizing the boats Three Star and Nancy Hanks, the treasury department contended they were illegally documented to United States citizens, while the real owners, are alien Japanese. Aliens are prohibited from owning United States-licensed vessels, although licensing and documentation are required now only for boats down to 20 tons.

The San Pedro Chamber of Commerce has asked United States Senator William G. McAdoo to request the treasury department to refrain from further seizures until he can study the situation thoroughly.

One of the chamber directors, Montgomery Phister, contends the government has not been enforcing the ownership documentation rules and that if there is sudden enforcement now a severe blow will be dealt the canning industry. A score of other boats would be affected, he said.

Another view came from Executive Secretary H. Yokozaki of the Southern California Japanese fishermen's association, an American college graduate.

"Most of these Japanese fishermen have been operating from here for 20 years," he said. "I don't see what all the excitement is about."

SHIPPING MAN PASSES

PORTLAND, Ore. — James W. Chichon, 67, widely-known in the Pacific coast shipping industry, died yesterday.

He was pier superintendent for Swayne and Hoyt Limited, and former district agent for the United States Shipping Board.

Canada and U.S. Confer on Flying

OTTAWA (CP)—Civil aviation interests of Canada and United States, swiftly taking on a more mutual character with the development of air lines between the two countries, will be discussed at a conference opening in Washington next Monday.

A party of Canadian aviation officials and experts will be named probably tomorrow to represent the Dominion at this conference, which will deal with many aspects of international flying.

CONTRACT LET FOR TANKERS

Twelve to Be Built in U.S. at Total Cost of \$37,500,000

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Maritime Commission and the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey signed an agreement under which the company will begin immediate construction of 12 high-speed tankers at a total cost of \$37,500,000.

Commission Chairman Joseph P. Kennedy said the oil company, acting on competitive bids received several years ago, had awarded contracts to four shipbuilding firms, each company to build three ships. The companies are the Newport News, Va., Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company; the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation (Baltimore yard); the Sun Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company, Chester, Pa.; and the Federal Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company, Kearney, N.J.

Kennedy said the oil company accepted the lowest bid submitted and required other bidders to meet that price. The lowest bid was \$2,249,417 by the Sun Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company.

Walter Miles Is Airlines Agent

Walter Miles, agent in Victoria for the Union Steamship Company of British Columbia and the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company, was this morning appointed local agent for the Northwest Airlines.

Chase Wason, district traffic manager for the Airlines at Vancouver came to Victoria today to make the new appointment.

Northwest Airlines has a 10-hour flying service between Seattle and Chicago. British Columbia passengers use Trans-Canada Airlines from Vancouver to Seattle and there make connections with the eastbound planes.

QUICK ISLAND SALVAGE JOB

Tug Martha Foss of Seattle Floated From North Reef Today

After being submerged to her deck level, the American tugboat Martha Foss, of the Foss Tug Company of Seattle, was floated at 7 this morning by the Pacific Salvage Company from North Reef, between Chemainus and Crofton, Vancouver Island.

The tug struck the reef in a fog at 3 Monday afternoon and quickly filled with water.

Harold Elworthy, of the Island Tug and Barge Company, returned to Victoria today from the scene of the wreck.

The salvage was carried out by the tug Storm King, of the Island Tug fleet, and Skookum No. 2, of the Vancouver fleet of the Pacific Salvage Company. The submerged tug was patched up and pumped out in quick order.

The damaged tug will be towed by a vessel of the Foss fleet to Seattle, where she will be repaired.

DOWN THE GANGWAY

AORANGI CRUISE

Melita L. O'Hara, former Saskatoon girl who now operates the Independent Travel Exchange at Seattle, has lined up a tour which she picturesquely calls "Ramble Down Under Below the Southern Cross."

She will take her tour party out from Victoria on February 16 aboard the Canadian-Australasian motorliner Aorangi and will bring them back here by the same ship April 7. Canadian Pacific offices, traffic agents for the Canadian-Australasian Line, are handling bookings for the tour.

No point of interest will be missed in the itinerary, which is as follows: February 16, sail from Vancouver or Victoria by Aorangi; February 23, sightseeing at Honolulu and island of Oahu; March 4, motor trip to native villages at Suva, Fiji Islands; March 7, Auckland, New Zealand; and motor trip to thermal region at Rotorua; March 12-13, Sydney, Australia, sightseeing tours and motor and launch trips to Berowra Waters, Hawkesbury River and Koala Bear Park; March 14-15, motor trip to Jenolan Caves via Blue Mountains, visiting mountain sights, with stop at Katoomba; March 18, Sydney, Australia, sightseeing, visit to Taronga Park Zoological Gardens; March 21, Auckland, sightseeing; March 25, Suva; April 1, Honolulu for surfing at Waikiki; April 7, debarkation Victoria.

TO GO EAST

Col. A. W. R. Wilby, federal agent of transport here, who is in Vancouver today on business, expects to leave for Ottawa next week to attend a meeting of the Dominion lighthouse board.

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C.N.R. to Issue \$50,000,000 Bonds

Subscriptions to 2 Per Cent and 3 Per Cent Securities Will Open Monday

OTTAWA (CP)—Subscriptions will open next Monday for a new issue of \$50,000,000 in Canadian National Railway Dominion-guaranteed bonds.

The issue will be used to reimburse the government for advances made since 1932 for redemption of debt and for capital expenditures by the road. Finance Minister Dunning said in making the announcement late Tuesday.

The issue will be made in two maturities consisting of four-year 2 per cent bonds, dated January 15, 1938, and 13-year 3 per cent bonds, dated December 15, 1937.

The four-year bonds will be non-callable, but the 13-year bonds will be callable at the option of the railway company as a whole only on or after December 14, 1945.

The price of the four-year bonds is 99.25, to yield approximately 2.20 per cent and the 13-year bonds are priced at 97 to yield approximately 3.29 per cent.

The bonds will be guaranteed unconditionally by both principal and interest by the Canadian Government. Books will open Monday morning and will

be closed as to either issue or both at the discretion of the Minister of Finance.

On behalf of the Canadian National Railways the issue will be offered through the Bank of Canada on authority of the Finance Minister, and subscriptions will be made through chartered banks or recognized dealers.

At World Ports

Panama Canal, Jan. 4—Passed east: Santa Lucia, Valparaiso for New York; Oregonian, Los Angeles for New York; Eastern Glade, Seattle for Houston.

Passed west: Mobilgas, Portland, Me., for Los Angeles; Montgomery City, New York for San Diego; Kwanto Maru (Jap), New York for Los Angeles.

Arrived—Manila, Jan. 2, President Coolidge, San Francisco; Havre, Jan. 3, City of Havre, Norfolk; Liverpool, Jan. 4, Aurania, New York.

Sailed—New York, Jan. 4, Berengaria, for Southampton; Champlain, Havre; Manhattan, Hamburg; Aspicul, Jan. 3, California, San Francisco; Hongkong, Jan. 1, President Grant, Seattle; Trieste, Jan. 4, Vulcania, New York.

Arrived—Rotterdam, Jan. 1, Albion Star, from San Francisco; Dinteldyk, San Francisco; Manila, Jan. 2, Greystoke, Castle, Los Angeles.

Sailed—Dec. 1, New Orleans, Los Angeles; Venice, Dec. 31, Fella, Vancouver; Yokohama, Dec. 31, Lapland, San Francisco.

The fishing technique of that bird-fisherman, the osprey, is argued over by naturalists.



TRAFFIC—'38

Forecasting increased traffic in downtown districts, with a corresponding shortage in parking space and a greater driving hazard, we make the following suggestion:

Include in your New Year's resolutions for 1938 one that will save you money, time and considerable inconvenience—resolve that on all shopping and business trips to town